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Bombay, 29th May, 1891.

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Vessels.	Tons.	H.P.	Captains.	1891.
§ ASSAM	3038	500	W. J. Webber	12th June
B.L. THAMES	4113	800	W. Seaton	19th "
§ SIAM	3041	500	H. T. Weighell	26th "
B.L. SUTLEJ	4305	800	W. D. Worcester	3rd July
§ ASSAM	3038	500	W. J. Webber	10th "
B.L. ORIENTAL	5045	1000	E. Stewart	17th "
§ SIAM	3041	500	H. T. Weighell	24th "
B.L. PESHAWUR	3927	600	W. A. Whaler	31st "
§ ASSAM	3038	500	W. J. Webber	7th Aug.
B.L. PERIM	3938	600	P. Harris	14th "
§ SIAM	3041	500	H. T. Weighell	21st "
B.L. KAISAR-I-HIND	4029	700	G. W. Atkinson	28th "

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MALWA	2270	500	C. Preston	2nd July.
PENINSULAR	5015	1000	A. C. Loggin	16th "

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Bombay, 25th May, 1891.

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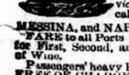

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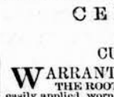

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Solera, Black Capsule	33 0
Amoroso, "	31 4
Montilla "	31 4
Invalid's Sherry, Square Bottle	31 4
Manzanilla, Red Capsule	26 0
"La Torre," a Natural Wine	24 0
Pale Medium Dry, Yellow Capsule	24 0
Vino de Pasto, Pink Capsule	23 0
Dinner Sherry, White Capsule	18 12
Do. Blue Seal	15 8
Marsala, Yellow Capsule	18 4
Madeira, E. I., Black Capsule	44 0
Do. Blue Capsule	27 0

PORT.

"Real Old Tawny"	41 12
Old Crusted, Bronze Capsule	41 12
Invalids' Superior, Tawny, Gold Capsule (2 doz. Pts. Rs. 30-8)	29 12
White Port	29 12
Superior Dessert, Black Capsule	26 0
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"FINE"	"	"	... ...	" 3

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THE COMMITTEE of the ORIGINAL ANGLO-INDIAN PASSAGE ASSOCIATION are not in any way connected with a newly Registered Company assuming our name, and styled Anglo-Indian S. N. Company and Passenger Association. Proposed Capital £16,000. Proposed Manager: C. Forwood. Our Committee have been obliged to drop this title now and advise their members to await a circular from them under a distinctive name, and signed by me.

LANE MacCORMICK,
Secretary pro.

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No. 1 JAVA GEMS	Per box of 100	2 10
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IT is notified for the information of the Public that SHA PRANJIWAN JEENA, a BROKER, is at present in wrongful possession of a SHARE in the ORIENTAL SPINNING and WEAVING COMPANY, Limited, No. 329 belonging to my Client MERWANJI DORABJI MEHTA, residing near Ganbow Well, in the Fort, opposite to Mancokji Seth's Wady, and of the Share Transfer Deed signed by my Client, and that the above-named Sha Pranjiwan Jeena has no right whatever to sell, transfer or deal with the Share in any way whatever.

The Public are hereby cautioned against purchasing or dealing with the Share in any manner whatever, and if any one does so he will do so at his own risk and peril.

HARI NARAYAN MOROBA VIJAYAKAR,
Vakil, High Court,
for Merwanjee Dorabjee Mehta.
No. 32, Kalkadevi Road, Bombay.

BOMBAY MUNICIPAL CORPORATION.—At the ORDINARY MONTHLY MEETING of the Corporation, called for MONDAY, the 8th instant, Notices to the following effect will be moved :—(1) By Kaikhosru N. Kabraji, Esq., "That the Commissioner be requested to explain the existing condition of drains in the dry weather, and to issue notices to inhabitants of houses where the drain connections are completed, instructing them as to the proper care and precautions they should take in using the connections. And (2) by ditto "That the Commissioner be authorised to serve on Committee appointed by Government for the selection of site for the Statue of the Right Hon'ble Lord Reay.

H. WYNFORD BARROW,
Municipal Secretary.
Bombay, Municipal Corporation Office, 5th June, 1891.

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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

TESTAMENTARY AND INTESTATE JURISDICTION.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen, Defender of the Faith, Empress of India.

Petition for Probate of the last Will and Testament of RAWJEE PANDURANG, late of Bombay Hindu Inhabitant, deceased.

MOOKUNDRAW ANANT and JYRAM RAGHUNATHJI, the Executors, according to the tenor of the Will of the said deceased.....Petitioners.

ALL PERSONS claiming to have any interest in the Estate of the abovenamed Deceased are hereby cited to come and see the Proceedings, if they think fit, before the Grant of Probate.

Witness SIR CHARLES SARGENT, Kt., Chief Justice at Bombay, aforesaid, the 26th Day of May, in the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Ninety-One and in the Fifty-Fourth Year of Our Reign.

J. W. ORR,
Registrar.

The Seal of the High Court at Bombay

L. N. BANAJI.
The 27th Day of May, 1891.

Messrs. CHITNIS, MOTILAL & MALVI,
Petitioners' Attorneys.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

TESTAMENTARY AND INTESTATE JURISDICTION.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen, Defender of the Faith, Empress of India.

Petition for Letters of Administration of the Property and Credits of CHINTAMON NARAYEN, late of Bombay Hindoo Inhabitant, deceased.

RAMRAO CHINTAMAN, one of the sons of the deceased .....Petitioner.

ALL PERSONS claiming to have any interest in the Estate of the abovenamed Deceased are hereby cited to come and see the Proceedings, if they think fit, before the Grant of Letters of Administration.

Witness, SIR CHARLES SARGENT, Knight, Chief Justice at Bombay, aforesaid, the 28th Day of May in the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Ninety-One and in the Fifty-Fourth Year of Our Reign.

J. W. ORR,
Registrar.

The Seal of the High Court at Bombay.

L. N. BANAJI.
The 27th Day of May, 1891.

Messrs. MANSUKHLAL D. & JAMSETJI,
Petitioner's Attorneys.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

TESTAMENTARY AND INTESTATE JURISDICTION.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen, Defender of the Faith, Empress of India.

Petition for Probate of the last Will and Testament of BHIMJI GIRDHUR, late of Bombay Hindu, Inhabitant, deceased.

VULUBHDAS JAIRAM, the Surviving Executor named in the Will of the said deceased..Petitioner.

ALL PERSONS claiming to have any interest in the Estate of the abovenamed Deceased are hereby cited to come and see the Proceedings, if they think fit, before the Grant of Probate.

Witness SIR CHARLES SARGENT, KNIGHT, Chief Justice at Bombay, aforesaid, the 26th Day of May, in the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Ninety-One and in the Fifty-Fourth Year of our Reign.

L. N. BANAJI,
for Registrar.

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POLICIES covering risk on MERCHANDISE, BUILDINGS, SPINNING MILLS, COTTON AND JUTE PRESSES, SHOPS, BUNGALOWS, HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, HOTELS, AND CLUBS, both in BOMBAY and in the MOFUSSIL, granted on most favourable terms. COALS on the BUNDERS and KEROSINE OIL also covered.

Fire Premium for 1887.....	£320,690 0 0
,, 1888.....	£320,156 0 0
,, 1889.....	£365,639 0 0
,, 1890.....	£1,104,173 16 10

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NATIVE LIVES ASSURED AT EUROPEAN RATES. LARGE REDUCTION IN RATES.

POLICIES granted by the UNDERSIGNED without references to Head Office on APPROVED lives. MILITARY LIVES in CIVIL employ have extra premium returned.

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LAST ENDOWMENT BONUS 7½ per cent.

REDUCTION to EUROPEAN rates, when Assured leaves either Alexandria or Port Said.

Accumulated LIFE FUND now amounts to.....	£3,473,114	5 9
Total ACCUMULATED FUNDS.....	£6,161,508	13 11

GROWTH OF FUNDS.

1876	£2,267,174 12 4	1884	£5,248,407 9 2
1879	£4,200,626 15 1	1889	£6,161,508 13 11

THOS. H. MOORE & Co.,
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NOTICES.

NOTICE.

IN the terms of Race No. 2. THIRD DAY. THE FUKHR-OOL-MOOLK PLATE, read "FOR ALL GALLOWAYS 14 HANDS AND UNDER. WEIGHT FOR INCHES" for "FOR ALL GALLOWAYS 14 HANDS," and for Entrances read "15th of June" instead of "1st June."

PERCY GOUGH, Major,
Clerk of the Course, Hyderabad Races.
Hyderabad, 1st June, 1891.

PURSUANT to Act XXVIII of 1866, entitled "The Trustees' and Mortgagees' Powers Act, 1866." Notice is hereby given that all persons being creditors of or having any claims against the Estate of JOHN BULLOUGH, late of Accrington, England, Machinist, deceased, domiciled in England aforesaid, who died at London, on or about the 29th February 1891, and Letters of Administration with a copy of his Will annexed of whose property and credits were on the 27th May, 1891, granted by the High Court of Judicature at Bombay, to Frank Chalk and Edwin Richard Smetham, the constituted Attorneys of George Whiteley, Thomas Bullough, Joseph Smalley and Edward William Horne, the Executors of the said deceased, for their use and benefit to have effect throughout the Province of Bombay, are required to send to the Undersigned Solicitors for the said Frank Chalk and Edwin Richard Smetham, on their behalf at their Office, No. 13, Church Gate Street, within the Fort of Bombay, in writing their names and addresses and the particulars of their claims against the Estate of the said deceased, so as to reach the said office on or before the 1st day of July 1891, as after that date the said Frank Chalk and Edwin Richard Smetham as such Administrators will pay or remit the assets of the said deceased then remaining in their hands to the said executors entitled thereto, or will otherwise proceed to distribute the said assets, having regard only to the claims of which the said administrators shall then have notice as aforesaid and no claims sent in subsequently will be recognised.—Dated the 29th day of May, 1891.

CHALK, WALKER, AND SMETHAM,
Administrator's Solicitors.

GREAT INDIAN PENINSULA RAILWAY.
OLD PACKING CASES FOR SALE.

THE Agent is prepared to receive at his Office, Victoria Terminus, Bombay, up to 1 p.m. (Gunfire), on WEDNESDAY, the 10th June, Tenders for the purchase of any number out of 7 LOTS of OLD PACKING CASES and BOARDS, now lying in the Locomotive Works Yard, at Parel, where the same may be viewed on application.

All lots purchased to be removed within one month from date of acceptance of Tender.

Tenders will not be entertained unless made upon the Company's Form (to be obtained from the Undersigned), and accompanied, separately by a deposit of Rs. 250 as security for the due fulfilment of the engagement, failure in which will entail forfeiture of the Deposit without the necessity of the Company having to prove any loss by the transaction.

Full payment must be made promptly on notification of acceptance of Tender, and before delivery is made.

The Agent does not bind himself to accept the highest or any Tender.

ALFRED KING,
Storekeeper.
Storekeeper's Office, Parel, 29th May, 1891.

SOUTHERN MAHRATTA RAILWAY.
MISCELLANEOUS STORES AND STATIONERY.
COUNTRY PRODUCE.

TENDERS are invited for the SUPPLY of MISCELLANEOUS STORES of Country produce and manufacture and STATIONERY during the year commencing 1st July 1891.

Tenders to be submitted on printed forms of Tenderers' Schedules to be obtained from the Storekeeper, Hubli, in the case of Miscellaneous Stores, and from the Auditor, Dharwar, for Stationery on payment of 8 Annas for each copy.

All Miscellaneous Stores must be delivered at the General Stores Depot, at Hubli, and all Stationery at the Stationery Depot, Dharwar.

The Company's specification and conditions under which the Contracts for Miscellaneous Stores and Stationery will be let accompany each form of Tenderers' Schedule. Any further information required can be obtained from the Storekeeper at Hubli in the case of Miscellaneous Stores, and the Auditor, Dharwar, in the case of Stationery.

The latest date for receiving tenders is 22nd June. They should be addressed to the Agent, S. M. Ry., at Dharwar, in a sealed cover, superscribed "Tenders for Stores or Stationery" as the case may be.

The Agent does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender.

J. CAMPBELL,
Agent, S. M. Ry.
Dharwar, 21st May, 1891.

THE LONDON AND LANCASHIRE FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

WE beg to notify that we are the SOLE AGENTS of this Company in Bombay, and are prepared to RENEW ALL POLICIES, and accept new risks on the most favourable terms.

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THE MUTUAL PROVIDENT SOCIETY, LIMITED.

THE FIFTH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the above Society, which was ADJOURNED to SATURDAY, the 6th proximo, will be held at 4 p.m., on that day at the Registered Office of the Society, No. 75, Apollo Street, for the transaction of Business left unfinished at the said Meeting.

LIDBETTER & CO.,
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The Mutual Provident Society, Ld.
Bombay, 29th May, 1891.

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For Prices and Particulars of "Camel Hair Belting" apply to

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Khetwady, Bombay.

KOLHAPUR ABKARI FARM.
NOTICE.

THE LICENSE for the exclusive privilege of MANUFACTURING and SELLING COUNTRY LIQUOR of strength not exceeding 25° U. P. in the KOLHAPUR STATE, including its Feudatories, for the triennial period ending with 31st July, 1893, having been CANCELLED by the Council of Administration, Kolhapur, FRESH TENDERS are hereby invited for the Country Spirit Farm of the Kolhapur Territory, including the Feudatory States of Vishalgad, Bavda, Kagal and Ichalkaranji, and other subordinate Jahagirs and Inam Villages, for a biennial period commencing from the 1st August 1891 and ending with 31st July, 1893. Each tender should specify the minimum yearly revenue which the tenderer will guarantee to the Kolhapur State, if the farm tendered for is given to him and it should be sent to the Chief Revenue Officer, Kolhapur, so as to reach him at or before 12 o'clock noon, Madras time, on the 15th June 1891. Each tender must be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 2,000 in cash or Currency Notes for the good faith of the Tender which must be enclosed in a cover superscribed with the words "Tender for the Country Spirit Farm of Kolhapur." Tenders will be opened in the Office of the Chief Revenue Officer on the date and at the hour mentioned above in the presence of such tenderers as may be present.

2. The final disposal of the Tenders will rest with the Council of Administration, Kolhapur, who will have full power to reject all tenders or to accept the tender which they consider most advantageous to the public interest.

3. The person whose tender is accepted shall, within one week after the Council's decision is communicated to him, deposit with the Chief Revenue Officer a sum in cash or Government securities endorsed to the Chief Revenue Officer which, added to the deposit of Rs. 2000 made at the time of the tender, will be equal to one-fifth of the annual revenue which the tenderer has offered to guarantee. The tenderer also shall, if he does not possess property within the limits of this State, furnish a surety equal and in addition to the amount of the deposit mentioned above; or may, in lieu of furnishing a surety, deposit a further sum in money or Government securities which will make the total amount of deposit equal to one-fifth of the annual revenue which he undertakes to guarantee. The tenderer shall execute, on a stamp paper of proper value to be paid by him, an agreement binding himself to conform to the conditions of the license to be issued to him by the Chief Revenue Officer. If he fails to do so, the deposit already made will be forfeited, the Council's decision accepting his Tender will be cancelled, and the Council will come to a new decision on the Tenders already received or call for further Tenders or dispose of the Farm in some other way.

4. Forms of license and counterpart agreement as well as any other information which the intending Tenderers may wish to have can be obtained on application to the Chief Revenue Officer of Kolhapur.

5. Schedules A and B are subjoined for the information of the intending Tenderers.

A.

Statement showing the quantities of Country spirit of each strength issued from the Distillery and the amount of duty realized in the Kolhapur Territory in each of the years 1887-88, 1888-89 and 1889-90.

Name of Farm advertized for sale.	Gallons of Spirits of each strength issued from the Distillery. 1887-88. 25° U.P.	60° U.P.	1888-89. 25° U.P.	60° U.P.	1889-90. 25° U.P.	60° U.P.	Realizations. 1887-88.	1888-89.	1889-90.
Kolhapur State...	40756	0	40323	36	36042½	0	1,22,268	1210254	108127½

B.

Specification of still head duty rates and the maxima sell-ingprices for spirit of each strength that were in force during the last triennial period ending 31st July 1890 and those to be in force from the 1st August 1891, within the limits of Kolhapur Territory and also the monthly rates of Distillery rent and of contribution for establishment to be payable after 1st August 1891.

Rates in force during the triennial period ending 31st July 1890. Per gallon of strength of 25° U.P. Still head duty.	Maximum selling price.	Per gallon of strength of 60° U.P. Still head duty.	Maximum selling price.	Rates to be in force after 1st August 1891. Per gallon of strength of 25° U.P. Still head duty.	Maximum selling price.	Per gallon of strength of 60° U.P. Still head duty.	Maximum selling price.	Monthly rent for use of Distillery.	Monthly contribution for Estab. charges.
3-0-0	4-8-0	1-9-0	2-8-0	3-10-0	5-0-0	1-14-0	2-12-0	25	365

By order of the Council of Administration,
M. KUVARJI,
Divan of Kolhapur.
Camp Panhala, 31st May, 1891.

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National Bank of India	37,320	£25	£12½	5 pr. ct.	185
New Oriental Bank	50,000	£10	all	6 pr. ct.	160
Silver Share ..	..	..	..	..	101

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	750	150	150	7½	182½ x
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Berar Oil Mills Co., Limited	1,250	100	All.	Nil.	100 no m
Bombay Fire Insurance	600	2,500	1,00	70	950
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Do. New Issue	500	375	625	33½	900
Bombay Ice Mfg. Co., Ld.	1,250	100	100	25	88
Bombay Landed and Building Co., Ld.	400	500	500	6 pr. ct.	630
Bombay Flour Mill	1,000	500	500	Rs. 37½	900
Deccan Ice Co	1,170	100	100	4 pr. ct.	20
Deccan Paper Mills	1,000	500	500	Nil	400
Delhi and Northern India Flour Mills	1,500	200	200	Rs. 11	177½
Geyer &Co., Ld	500	100	70	—	70 nom
Indian Guarantee Surety Ship Assn	5,000	10	10	10 pr. ct	13
John Roberts & Co	1,500	100	100	10 pr. ct	75
Kamp & Co	4,000	200	175	26½	310
Kurrachee Landing	500	50	30	30	100
Maharanee Ice Manufactur ing Co	3,50	100	10	Nil.	30
Marcks & Co., Ld	4,000	100	100	Rs. 5	96
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Oriental Govt. Security Life Insurance	5,000	200	5	12 pr. ct.	170
Oriental Loan	5,000	20	27	8 pr. ct.	15
Phillips & Co., Ld.	4,000	100	100	7 pr. ct.	70
Port Canning Co.	6,000	1,000	1,000	2	415
Prince of Wales Fire In.	250	8,000	1,000	N dv	2,350
Royal Flour Mills	2,500	100	100	—	48
Soundy & Co.	1,000	100	100	9	83-8.
Southwell and Austin	1,000	100	100 & 20	—	60
Thacker & Co.	1,500	500	all	85	980
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Empress	2,100	500	25	10 pr. ct.	622
Framjee Petit	11,250	1,000	1,000	Rs. 50	565xd
Gordon Mills	2,000	1,000	1,000	Nil.	110
Hindustan	875	1,000	1,000	Rs. 40	770
Hingunghat Mill	700	500	25	10 pr. ct.	64
Howard and Bullough	1,500	500	500	25	625
Hyderabad	700	1,000	1,000	Rs. 40	700
ImperialCotton	900	500	500	—	330
Indian Manfg.	900	1,000	1,000	Rs. 50	950
James Greaves	1,100	500	25	10 pr. ct.	635
Jaffer Alli	900	500	500	Nil.	315
Jamshed Manufacturing Co.	11,800	250	250	10	230xd
Jawraz Baloo	1,000	1,000	1,000	30	800
Jubilee Mills Co., Ld.	800	1,000	1,000	Rs. 2)	500
Khandesh	750	1,000	1,000	30	650
Khanga m Manfg. Co.	400	250	250	Nil.	560
Khatao Mackunjee	1,000	1,000	1,000	40	555
Leopold	3,500	100	100	15 pr. ct.	197½
Lonermere Spinning & Weaving Co	1,000	1,000	1,000	35	1,000
Madras United	350	1,000	1,000	100	1,900 x
Mahalaxmee	600	1,000	1,000	Nil.	325
Mahboob Shahi Mills (Gulburga)	2,400	500	50	pr. ct.	500 no m
Manockjee Petit	4,000	1,000	all	Rs. 6)	1,280xd
Manogee	5,000	250	25	5	117 x
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Maharaja Mysore S & M Co	4,500	100	100	7 pr. ct.	105
National	500	1,000	1,00	Nil.	170
New Great Eastern	1,400	1,000	1,000	Rs. 4)	675
Oriental	5,725	625	625	Rs. 15	405xd
President Mills Co(Ld.)	743	1,000	1,000	Rs. 5)	1,135
Sassoon	1,500	1,000	1,000	35	1,400
Sholapore Mills	500	1,000	1,000	6)	1,370
Soondercla	750	1,000	1,000	Nil.	505
Southern India	1,000	500	500	Nil.	10 no m
Southern Maharatta	1,212	250	250	12	277 xd
Sun Mills, Ld	1,200	250	250	Nil.	245
Star of India	2,000	1,000	1,000	40	530
Swadeshi Mills	3,000	500	500	Nil.	470
Victoria Mills	550	1,000	1,000	24	38 xd
Western India	12,000	1,000	1,000	Rs. 40	760
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Union Spinning and Manufacturing Co.	900	1,000	1,000	Nil.	800
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Ballary	187	1,000	1,000	Rs. 40	350
Bombay Cotton	1,000	125	125	20	125
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Hemgeol Press Co., Ld.	450	450	500		30 410x
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Oriental Loan	5,000	20	27	8 pr. ct.	15
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Do.	6 Do. do.	to	200
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Do.	60 days'	to	100
Madras	At sight	to	100 3-32
Do.	30 days'	to	99½
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Do 2nd sort, per lb	0 2 0
Briskets and Round, 1st sort, per lb	0 2 0
Do 2nd sort, per lb	0 1 9
Beefsteak, (under part), per lb	0 1 6
Do (round), per lb	0 1 6
Meat for soup, per lb	0 1 3
Shins, Tuige, each	0 3 9
" small, each	0 2 0
Tongues, fresh, each	0 3 0
" salt, each	0 2 0
Suet, 1st sort, per lb	0 3 9
" 2nd sort, per lb	0 3 0
Liver, each	0 2 0
Heart, each	0 1 6
Kidneys, each	0 1 0
Marrow Bones, each	0 1 0
Briskets and Round, 1st sort, for salting, per lb	0 2 3
" 2nd "	0 2 0
Oxtail, each	0 2 0
Sirloin, per lb	0 3 0
Fore Ribs, each	0 3 0
Beef salt, English, per lb	0 3 0
MUTTON (1ST SORT)—	
Saddle, per lb	0 4 0
Leg, Loin, Shoulder and Neck, per lb	0 3 6
Liver and Heart, 1st sort, each	0 2 0
" 2nd sort, each	0 2 6
Breast, large, each	0 3 0
" small, each	0 2 6
Head, each	0 3 6
Kidneys, each	0 1 0
Suet, per lb	0 3 0
Mutton, Goat, Country, per lb	0 3 0
MUTTON (2ND SORT)—	
Saddle, per lb	0 2 9
Leg, Loin, Shoulder and Neck, per lb	0 2 3
Liver and Heart, 1st sort, each	0 2 3
" 2nd sort, each	0 2 0
Breast, large, each	0 2 0
" small, each	0 2 0
Kidneys, each	0 1 0
Suet, per lb	0 2 0
Mutton, Goat, Country, per lb	0 2 6
KID (SMALL)—	
Hind Quarter, 1st sort, per piece	0 12 0
Fore " per piece	0 10 0
Hind Quarter, 2nd sort, per piece	0 10 0
Fore "	0 8 0
Head, Feet, Liver and Heart, per piece	0 6 0
LAMB (LARGE)—	
Hind Quarter, 2nd sort per piece	1 2 0
Fore " per piece	1 0 0
Head, Feet, Liver and Heart, per piece	0 8 0
(PORK FRESH AND SALT)—	
Pork, Fresh, per lb	0 4 0
" Salt, country, per lb	0 5 0
Pigs, Roasted, each	2 8 0
" Head, per lb	0 2 0
Sausages, per lb	0 5 0
Bacon, per lb	0 5 0
Pigs' Feet, salt or fresh, per set	0 8 0
" Lard, per lb	0 6 0
" Boiled Lard, per lb	1 0 0
Pork, Salt, English, per lb	0 8 0
POULTRY—	
Goose, each	3 8 0
Turkey Cocks (very large), each	6 0 0
" Hens, each	3 0 0
Ducks, large, each	1 0 0
Fowls, Bombay, large, each	0 12 0
" middling, each	0 10 0
Chickens, large, each	0 7 0
" small, each	0 4 0
Eggs, each	0 0 3
Guinea Fowls, each	1 8 0
Pigeons, per pair	0 12 0
" Young, per pair	0 6 0
Rabbits, each	1 8 0
Doves, per pair	0 7 0
Quails, per dozen	0 12 0
MILK AND BUTTER—	
Cow's Milk, per seer measure	0 2 6
Buffalo's Milk, per seer measure	0 2 0
" Butter, per cwn, 2 ozs	0 1 0
Jagree, per maund	2 8 0
Butter, English, per tin	1 4 0
Cheese English, per tin	0 12 0
BREAD—	
Loaves, 1st sort, 16 oz, each	0 1 9
" 2nd sort, 16 oz, each	0 1 6
" brown, each	0 1 3
Flour, Wheat, 1st sort, per seer	0 1 3
" 2nd sort per seer	0 1 0
Rolong, 1st sort, per seer	0 1 3
" 2nd sort, per seer	0 1 0
Biscuits, Poona, per lb	0 1 0
" Bombay, per lb	0 2 0
" Poona, Mixed per lb	0 1 0
Flour, Rice, 1st sort per seer	0 0 9
Bajri " per seer	0 0 9
FIREWOOD—	
Coal, Europe, per ton	17 0 0
Charcoal, country, per maund	0 9 0
Babool, per candy	3 8 0
" per maund	0 3 3
Kurrachee Babool, per candy	6 0 0
" per maund	0 3 6
Aine, per candy	6 0 0
" per maund	0 3 6
Mixed, of different sorts, per candy	4 0 0
" per maund	0 2 9
Kurmell, per candy	5 0 0
" per maund	0 3 0
Khaire, per candy	7 0 0
" per maund	0 4 0
Hay, 100 lbs	1 12 0
OIL—	
Cocoanut, 1st sort, per maund	4 4 0
" 2nd sort, per maund	4 2 0
Sweet Teel, Oil, 1st sort	4 4 0
" 2nd sort, per maund	4 0 0
Linseed Oil, country, per maund	4 0 0
Castor Oil, Bombay, per maund	3 8 0
" Calcutta, per maund	4 12 0
Kerosine Oil, Snow Flake, per tin	2 10 0
" Common, per tin	1 14 0
GHEE—	
Ghee, Surat, per seer	0 5 6
" Ghautee, per seer	0 5 0
" Jaffrabad, per seer	0 6 0
Vinegar, table, country, per bottle	0 0 9
" common, country, per bottle	0 0 2
Mora spirit, per bottle	0 13 0
SUGAR—	
Candee, 1st sort, per seer	0 10 0
" 2nd sort, per seer	0 8 0
Sugarcandy, 1st sort, per seer	0 3 0
" 2nd sort, per seer	0 2 0
Sugar, soft, 1st sort, per seer	0 1 6
" 2nd sort, per seer	0 1 3
" bcawa, per seer	0 1 0
" Mauritius, per seer	0 1 6
Tea, 1st sort, per lb	1 2 0
" Hill, per lb	0 14 0
" 2nd sort, per lb	0 8 0
Sago, per seer	0 1 6
GRAIN—	
Wheat, 1st sort, per phurra	4 12 0
" 2nd sort, per phurra	4 4 0
" 3rd sort, per phurra	3 4 0
Grain, Jamboseer, per phurra	3 12 0
" Ghautee, per phurra	3 4 0
" Dall, per phurra	4 8 0
Cooliy (Horse Grain), per phurra	2 8 0
Goreel, Ghoghary, per phurra	3 6 0
" Dall, per phurra	5 0 0
Mutki, (Rice), per phurra	12 0 0
" Cutch, per phurra	3 8 0
Bajree, Ghautee, per phurra	3 4 0
" Bhowanggar, per phurra	3 8 0
Rice, Jerasal, 1st sort, per phurra	6 8 0
" 2nd sort, per phurra	6 0 0
" common, per phurra	4 0 0
" Bengal, 1st sort, per phurra	5 8 0
" 2nd sort, per phurra	4 8 0
Paddy, or Rice in husk, 1st sort, per phurra	12 0 0
" 2nd sort, per phurra	1 6 0
Barley (new), per phurra	2 10 0
" (old) per phurra	2 0 0
Oats, per phurra	2 10 0
Jowaree or Cholum or Jonaloo	2 8 0
Linseed, per phurra	4 0 0
Maize, per phurra	2 8 0
Moong, per phurra	4 4 0
" Dall per phurra	5 0 0
Mussoor per phurra	4 0 0
" Dall per phurra	3 12 0
Nachnie or Raggy, per phurra	2 6 0
Peas, per phurra	4 4 0
Toor, per phurra	2 12 0
" Dall, 1st sort, per phurra	4 8 0
" 2nd sorts "	4 4 0
Wal Beans, of sort, per phurra	2 2 0
Warree or Veragoo	3 0 0
Kong, per phurra	3 2 0
VEGETABLE—	
Potatoes, Mahableshwur, large, per md	3 8 0
" " per seer	0 1 6
" " small, per md	2 4 0
" " per seer	0 0 11
" Poona or Surat, large, per md	1 8 0
" " per seer	0 0 7
" " small, per md	0 14 0
" " per seer	0 0 7
Turnips, large, per dozen	0 3 0
" small, per dozen	0 9 0
Beet, large, each	0 0 6
" small, each	0 1 6
Radishes white, per dozen	0 2 0
" red, per dozen	0 1 3
Tomatoes, per seer	0 2 0
Green Peas, per seer	0 2 0
French Beans, per seer	0 1 3
Knol Khol, per dozen	0 3 0
Brinjals, Nagpoor, per seer	0 0 6
Pumpkins, large, each	0 6 0
" small, each	0 3 0
Beans, double, per seer	0 3 0
Parsley, per small bundle	0 0 6
Betelnut, per seer	0 3 0
" leaf, per 100	0 0 6
Sweet Potatoes per seer	0 0 6
FRUITS—	
Pineapple, large, each	0 4 0
" small, each	0 2 0
Pomeloes, large, each	0 3 0
" small, each	0 12 0
Guavas, large, per dozen	1 0 0
" small, per dozen	0 4 0
Orange, large, Nagpore, per dozen	2 0 0
" small, per dozen	1 0 0
Melons, water, large, each	1 0 0
" small, each	0 8 0
Plantains large, red, per dozen	0 6 0
" small, red, per dozen	0 4 0
" large, yellow, per dozen	0 3 0
" small, yellow, per dozen	0 2 0
Limes, sour, per dozen	0 1 0
Pomegranate, Bombay, per dozen	1 0 0
Mangoes, Afoos, per dozen	1 0 0
" Payree, per dozen	0 1 0
" Common, per dozen	0 5 0
Figs, Poona, per dozen	1 0 0
Flowers, mixed, per bunch	0 1 6
Chekoos, per dozen	0 3 0
Musoondy, Poona, per dozen	3 0 0
Date Muscat, per packet	0 8 0
FRESH FISH—	
Pomfret, white, large, per pair	1 0 0
" medium, per pair	0 12 0
" small, per pair	0 8 0
Ghoall, large, each	2 0 0
" small, each	0 8 0
Prawns, small, per dozen	0 1 6
Shrimps, per seer	0 2 0
Rawhas, per seer	0 2 6
Oysters, in shell, per dozen	0 3 0
" opened, per dozen	0 2 0
Lobsters, each	0 2 0
DRY FISH—	
Pomfret, white, large, each	0 1 3
" small, each	0 0 9
Surmaye, large, each	1 8 0
Palah, large, each	0 4 0
" small, each	0 1 6
Bhomee, large, each	0 1 0
" small, each	0 0 8
Wagtee, large, per dozen	0 1 6
" small, per dozen	0 0 6
Rumlows, per dozen	0 0 6
Doungry fish, each	0 1 3
PICKLES, COUNTRY—	
Mango, per seer	0 1 0
Lime, per seer	0 0 9
Mixed, per seer	0 1 0
Papads, large, per seer	0 1 3
" small, per seer	0 0 9
Salt, 1st sort, per seer	0 0 3
" 2nd sort, per seer	0 0 2
" pounded, per seer	0 1 6

A VIENNA correspondent writes:—In celebration of the anniversary of the Polish Constitution, Jan Matejko has exhibited at Cracow his great picture of the taking of the oath to the Constitution in 1791. The picture represents the last King of Poland, Stanislas August, attended by the members of the Diet of Warsaw, on his way to the Cathedral of St. John to take the oath. In the procession appear the figures of all the eminent men who contributed to the work of drafting the Constitution—Stanislas, Malachowski, Father Kollotaj, Potocki, Poniatowski, and the national hero Kosciuszko, as well as many others whose names adorn Polish history. The picture exhibits all the merits and all the faults of Matejko, his force and splendid colouring, but also his manner of crowding the figures, which does not allow the eye to take in the scene or enjoy the work of art.

BOMBAY.

TO-DAY.

Theosophical Society Lecture, 5-30 p.m.
Anjuman-i-Elmi-e-Farsi Meeting, 5-30 p.m.
Music at the Yacht Club, this evening.
Walking Contest at the Columbia Rink, 9 p.m.

POSTAL NOTICE.—Mails for Singapore and Hongkong, per extra s. s. Bormida, will be closed at the General Post Office, at 4 p. m., to-day.

LECTURE.—A paper on "Practical View of Karma," will be read at the Hall of the Theosophical Society, Church Gate Street, Fort, at 5-30 p.m.

VICTORIA DOCK.—The s. s. Bishopsgate and Mameluke entered and the s. s. Pekin and s. s. Bokhara left the dock yesterday; the s. s. Capo Comorin and s. s. Rydal Hall also left it on Thursday.

PUBLIC MEETING AT DADUR.—A general meeting of the parishioners of Salvacao Church is to be held to-morrow, at 10-15 a.m., at the Parochial Hall, to consider and pass certain resolutions.

PRINCE'S DOCK.—The Turret Ship Magdala, s. s. Surat, and Rajpootana entered and the s. s. Inchborva, s. s. Hypatia, and s. s. St. Clears left the dock yesterday; the s. s. Comorta also left it on Thursday.

THE ANJUMAN-I-ELMI-E-FARSI.—A meeting will be held this evening, at 5-30, in the Hall of the New High School, Hornby Road, Fort, when Mr. Jiwanji Jamshedjee Mody, B.A., will lecture in Persian on his "Visit to Paris."

REPORTED THEFT.—Kumis Juma, secretary to the Sultan of Muscat, residing at Warden Road, reports to the police the theft of wearing apparel, valued at Rs. 122, from his master's bungalow. The complainant's suspicion rests on two of his servants, who have absconded.

RIDING ACCIDENT AT THE OVAL.—Last evening whilst Mr. Douglas Graham, a merchant, residing at Malabar Hill, was riding along the Oval near the Bandstand, his horse took fright, and throwing his rider, fell on him. Mr. Graham was immediately picked up by a Parsee and removed to the European General Hospital.

WALKING CONTEST AT THE SKATING RINK.—Mr. Arthur Hancock, the fifty miles champion walker, who last week attempted and succeeded in walking seven miles within an hour at the Columbia Skating Rink, is announced to give a similar performance to-night against six selected men of the King's Own Yorkshire Regiment. Since last week Mr. Hancock has been having some practice, and he expects to beat last week's record, good though it was.

MUSIC AT THE YACHT CLUB.—The following programme will be played at the Royal Yacht Club, by the String Band of the 5th Bo. L. I., this evening:—

March	La Tonkinoise
Polka	Bric-A-Brac
Overture	After Dark
Valse	A Thousand Kisses
Quadrille	The Plough Boy
Grand Selection	Chilperic
Flag Dance	Melo drama. Serio Comic. Pluck.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

TELEGRAPH DANCE.—The quadrille party, given by the members of the Telegraph staff, in the Town Hall, on Thursday evening, was a perfect success in every detail. A large number of friends responded to the invitations, and dancing was kept up with much spirit till the small hours of the morning. The popular honorary secretary, Mr. M. Mathews, deserves great praise for the manner in which everything was carried out. The stewards, Messrs. Rowe, McKinnon, Nicholls, and H. Pitcher, also contributed towards the success of the evening.

FEAST OF THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS AT JUVEM CHURCH.—To-morrow, the feast of the Sacred Heart of Jesus will be celebrated with great solemnity in this church. High mass, followed by a sermon, procession, and solemn benediction will commence at 9 a.m. The St. Paul's band, of Bandora, will play and sing *Missa de Natividade*. This evening, there will be solemn vespers, at which the band will attend, under the direction of Mr. J. M. Gonsalves, bandmaster. Mr. A. F. Gonsalves, the president, will defray the expenses of the feast.

SIX MONTHS FOR STEALING A CAP.—At the Girgaum Police Court, yesterday, Govind Ravjee *alias* Luxman was charged before Mr. W. R. Hamilton, Second Presidency Magistrate, with stealing a cap, belonging to Hakatally, living at Kala Talao Road. On the night of Thursday last whilst the complainant was lying asleep in the open air the accused stole the cap, but while he was making away with it he was arrested by a police sepoy. The accused, against whom there appeared one previous conviction, was convicted and sentenced to six months' imprisonment, with hard labour.

AN AUDACIOUS MENDICANT.—Balia Bhickia *alias* Ramchunder Kerson was charged yesterday, at the Esplanade Police Courts, before Mr. C. W. Richardson, by Inspector Hack with the theft of a silk petticoat, valued at Rs. 5. The prisoner, against whom two previous convictions were registered, visited the house as a mendicant and walked away with the petticoat. He was observed however and intercepted. A policeman took him in custody and the Magistrate in convicting him on the evidence adduced sent him to jail to suffer imprisonment with hard labour for eighteen months.

A DISHONEST SERVANT.—Sonoo Ganoo was yesterday brought up before the Third Presidency Magistrate, at the Esplanade Police Courts, charged with theft as a servant of Rs. 125, in currency notes, on the 28th May, the property of his master Ardesir Eduljee, who carried on the business of a watchmaker in Parsee Bazaar Gate Street. When the matter was reported to the police immediate steps were taken to arrest the servant who was traced to his house at Girgaum, where he endeavoured to evade capture by climbing on to the roof through a skylight. He was found guilty and sent to jail for six months, with hard labour.

SUICIDE.—An inquest was held yesterday morning by Dr. Thomas Blaney, the Coroner, at Dhobi Talao, touching the death of a middle-aged Hindu. On Thursday night whilst a police sepoy was on duty at the Dhobi Talao Tank, near the Framjee Cowasjee Institute, he heard a splash and looked into the tank to see if anybody had fallen in, but as the night was dark he could not see anything. Early yesterday morning the dead body of the deceased was found floating in the tank. The body was immediately brought out. There were no marks of violence on the body. The jury returned a verdict of suicide.

FATAL ACCIDENT ON BOARDSHIP.—An inquiry was held yesterday by Dr. Blaney, the Coroner, at the Gokuldass Tejpal Hospital, into the circumstances regarding the death of Gani Mulcek, a labourer, on board the s. s. Niagara, which is now lying at the Bombay harbour. On Thursday the deceased was standing on the rail of the ship untying a knot of rope attached to the staging that was erected on the side of the steamer, when the staging gave way, throwing the deceased down into a prow, loaded with iron chains lying alongside the steamer. The deceased was seriously injured, his skull being fractured and he was removed to the Gokuldass Tejpal Hospital, where he died shortly after admission. The jury returned a verdict of accidental death.

AN AWKWARD MISTAKE.—At the Esplanade Police Courts, yesterday, before Mr. C. W. Richardson, Third Presidency Magistrate, Constable Good, charged Sheik Adam with trespass and attempted theft. From the testimony of Issa Aban, the complainant, who lived in a house, in Memon Moholla, the prisoner was observed by him in the act of attempting to remove a gold necklace from his daughter, a girl of thirteen, who was sleeping beside him. On the trespasser finding that he was observed he instantly extinguished a lamp that was burning in the room and tried to escape, but the complainant raised a cry of "thief! thief!" which attracted the attention of other lonants who stopped the man before gaining the street. A policeman was summoned and Shaik Adam given into custody. In defence he said that he was under the influence of liquor and he only made a mistake in entering the wrong house. The Magistrate convicted him and passed a sentence of six months' rigorous imprisonment.

SUDDEN DEATH AT JUBBULPORE.—We regret to announce the rather sudden death of Mr. R. J. B. Thomson (Covenanted Engineer), Executive Engineer, first grade, Public Works Department, Jubbulpore, on the morning of the 3rd instant. The melancholy news has cast a gloom over that station. Mr. Thomson was re-appointed to this division last month in the room of Colonel E. N. Peters, R.E., proceeded to Nagpore as Superintending Engineer, *pro tem.* The deceased was suffering from disease of the heart. When in charge of the Jubbalpore Division, in 1888, he proceeded on furlough for two years, and returned—not much better—in October last year. All medical skill could not cope with the treacherous disease. The Civil Surgeon (Dr. Franklin), considered his case hopeless. He was found dead in his bed this (3rd May) morning in Jackson's Hotel. He entered the Public Works Department in August, 1870, and died in his forty-first year. He will be buried this evening. The first person that heard of the death was Colonel Vansomeren, Conservator of Forest, who is residing at the hotel. The deceased officer was much liked at the Raipur District. He appeared hale and hearty on retiring to bed, on the 2nd instant. Considering the emptiness of the station, the funeral *cortege* was well attended.

THE MURDEROUS ASSAULT ON A FAMILY.—At the Girgaum Police Court, yesterday, Inspector McCormack, brought up on remand Govind Hurry, charged with stabbing his wife, Baghi, a girl of 14 years, his father Hurry Ranjee, and father-in-law Kooshna Laxman on the 14th of April last. The facts of the case have already been fully reported in these columns, but it may be briefly stated that the accused was married to Bhagi four years ago. The couple lived together on very amicable terms, until three months

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THIS DAY, SATURDAY, the 6th inst., at 3 p.m., Messrs. MENESSE and Co. will sell by Public Auction at Colaba Custom Green, in the Jutha of Messrs. Munjeebhoy Nuthoobhoy and Co., and by their order and on account of the concern,
M N 54 bales Bhownugger cotton (good quality).

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On MONDAY, the 8th inst., at 2 p.m., Messrs. MENESSE and Co. will under instructions from the Superintendent, Prince's Dock, sell by Public Auction, at the Dock Premises, A quantity of sweepings, old wood, iron, &c.
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SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

THE British s. s. Bengore Head, 1,619 tons, Captain D. Smith, sailed yesterday for Havre, with a general cargo.

THE steam-ship Khiva, Captain H. Shumacker, cleared yesterday for Mauritius, with a general cargo, and 250 deck passengers.

THE British s. s. Mameluke, 1,702 tons, Captain J. Gill, arrived in harbour yesterday from Aden, in ballast. The vessel is consigned to Messrs Killick, Nixon and Co.

THE British s. s. Bishopsgate, 1,463 tons, Captain G. Watt, arrived in harbour yesterday morning from Brindisi, in ballast. The vessel in consigned to Messrs. James, Mackintosh and Co.

THE B. I. S. N. Co.'s s. s. Arabia, 674 tons, Captain J. Skinner, arrived in harbour yesterday afternoon from the Persian Gulf, with a general cargo, 40 cases opium, 66 deck passengers and the following cabin passengers :—Mr. Dowoodbhoy Ebrahim, and 2 friends, Mr. Allibhoy Bhimji and 7 friends, Mr. Webb, Lieut Campbell, Surgeon Major Masani, Mr. Desai, and Mr. Hurle.

VESSELS IN DOCKS.—JUNE 5.

PRINCE'S DOCK.

Vessels.	Tons.	Captains.	Sheds.	Company or Agents.
S.S. Surat	1541	Sleeman	A	Shepherd & Co
„ St. Pancras	2781	Young	B	K Nixon & Co
„ Sculptor	830	McAllister	C	B & P S N Co
„ S. Radcliffe	1115	Thomas	D	W & A Graham & Co
„ Magdala			G	H. M. S.
„ Castle Eden	1353	Shadwick	H J	W & A Graham & Co
„ Carlo R.	1759	Cromonive	K	Ralli Brothers.
„ Northumbria	1912	Molley	L	P Morrison.
„ Deccan	2322	Bray	M	Hajee Cassum
Ship S. Joakin	1007	Nakoda	N	H A H Hassum & Co
S.S. La Seyne	1141	Schmitz	O	M Maritime & Co
„ B Head	1609	Smith	P	J. M. Heyn & Co.
„ Langton	1492	Craig	Q	W & A Graham & Co

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„ Kaveri	do.	do.
„ Neera	do.	do.

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VICTORIA DOCK.

			No.	
S.S. Wardha	2332	Wadge	1	B I S N Co.
„ Persia	2317	Hutchison	2	W & A Graham & Co
„ Bormida	1499	Gavozza	3	F Bozzoni
„ Bishopsgate	1463	Watt	4	J Mackintosh & Co
„ Mameluke	1702	Gill	6	K Nixon & Co
„ Enfield	1313	Vasey	7	W & A Graham & Co
„ Emir	2520	Robson	8	K Nixon & Co
„ Niagara	1781	McConochi	9	K Nixon & Co
„ Inchcliona	1479	Halliwell	11	K Nixon & Co
„ Rufford Hall	2485	Millard	12	E Bates & Co
„ Khiva		Shumacker	15	Haji Cassum Joosub
„ Nyanza	1421	Simon	16	Allana Jumji

ARRIVALS.

June.	Vessel.	Commander.	From.
5	Bishopsgate (s)	Watt	Brindisi, May 19.
	Mameluke (s)	Gill	Aden, May 29.
	Arabia (s)	Skinner	Persian Gulf.
	Eden Bridge (s)		Cardiff.
	Kamarthala (s)		Karachi.

DEPARTURES.

June.	Vessel.	Commander.	Destination.
5	Bokhara (s)	Weigiell	Aden and London.
	Bengore Head (s)	Smith	Havre.
	Hypatia (s)	Faull	Antwerp.
	Pekin (s)	Harris	China.

The steamer Khiva, Shumacker, obtained her port clearance yesterday for Mauritius.

The following vessels began to load yesterday :—
Steamer Mameluke, for Dunkirk.
„ Bishopsgate, for Antwerp.

CALCUTTA.

ARRIVALS.

June. 1 Nadir s..... Mason ..... Bombay, May16.
Euphrates s ..... Butler ..... Rangoon, May 25.

DEPARTURES.

June 1.—Steamers Lindula and Mecca.

MADRAS.

DEPARTURES.

June. 1 Kerbela s..... Calcutta.
Duke of Argyll s..... London.
Raventhaler s..... Calcutta.

DAILY IMPORTS.—JUNE 5.

FROM LIVERPOOL.

Peveril s—2 cases German silver sheets, M Goculdas.
Niagara s—250 kegs chemicals, H Goculdas ; 1,250 boxes bar soap, Owen and Okell ; 12 barrels lubricating oil, R K Parekh and Co.

FROM LONDON.

Pekin s—17 bales printing paper and 2 cases type, G Claridge and Co ; 1 cases books, E Trenchman ; 1 case musical instruments, T S Ramchunder and Bros; 13 bales printing paper, J Dadaji ; 16 cases cheese, Treacher and Co ; 7 packages photo materials, Thomas Norman and Balraji ; 12 packages paper and envelopes, H Abdoollaly ; 2 cases books, S Pandurang ; 5 cases books, Radhabhai Atmaram Sagoon ; 3 cases books, H N Fortado and Bros ; 32 bales straw-boards and 1 case ink, R E S Press ; 42 packages writing and printing papers, The "Times of India" ; 11 bales printing paper, The "Bombay Gazette" ; 85 packages provision, &c., Phillips and Co ; 3 cases books, &c, Treacher and Co ; 36 bottles quicksilver, Latham Abercrombie and Co ; 31 cases provisions, Bolton and Co ; 10 cases quinine, E Bomanji ; 91 packages provisions, &c, A N and C S Co-operative Society.
Kerbela s—2 cases printing ink, The "Bombay Gazette."

FROM TRIESTE.

Elektra s—5 packages coloured paper, C A Rahim Bros.
Imperatrice s—91 bales writing and printing papers, Volkart Bros ; 1 case stationery, Morenas and Co.

FROM HAMBURG.

Ehrenfels s—7 packages glass and earthenware and 20 drums chemicals, D M Duboo and Co ; 2 cases biscuits, T Bodalbhoy ; 11 bales blue paper, A Shivrai.
Gutenfels s—12 packages glassware, A Dewraj.

FROM ANTWERP.

Niagara s—35 cases glassware, J. Veerji ; 19 cases glassware and 5 cases hardware, Dadu Dewraj ; 225 boxes candles, A Shaik Adam ; 60 cases slate pencils, 34 cases marbles, and 325 cases window glass, Byramjee Shamurjee.
Adowa s—215 cases window glass, S Mamoojee ; 230 cases window glass, Finlay Muir and Co ; 11 cases blacking, E Russoolji.
Ehrenfels s—1 case cutlery, D P Batha and Co ; 15 cases colour, K Moolji.

DAILY EXPORTS.—JUNE 5.

FOR LIVERPOOL.

Kirby Hall s—10,000 cwts wheat, J C Bushby and Co ; 15,000 cwts wheat, Sandy and Co ; 129 bales cotton, David Sassoon and Co ; 117 bales wool, Canji Ladha ; 1,312 bales cotton, Ralli Brothers ; 2,000 cwts groundnuts cake, Glade and Co ; 60 bales wool, D Nagjee ; 60 bales wool, B Sajan ; 26 bales wool, M Rumgopal ; 25 bales wool, T Chimundass.
Carlo R s—400 cwts wheat, Ralli Brothers ; 50 bales cotton, Gaddum Bythell and Co ; 1 bale dyed goods, Volkart Brothers.
Persia s—669 cwts myraballams, A Kessowji.

FOR LONDON.

Bokhara s—10 cwts ivory, A Lillany ; 3 cwts ivory, Otto Martin.
La Seyne s—105 cwts senna leaves, R Janardhan ; 60 cwts gum Arabic, M Lallji ; 108 cwts gum Arabic, and 14 cwts Olibanum, H Dattoo ; 18 cwts fishmaws, V Vulley.

FOR MARSEILLES.

Emir s—2,030 cwts teaseed, 372 cwts Gingellyseed, and 735 cwts groundnuts, Ralli Bros ; 110 cwts mustardseed, J Fachiri.
Persia s—7,003 cwts castorseed, F L Battliboi and Co.
St. Pancras s—4,000 cwts wheat and 999 cwts gingellyseed, E D Sassoon and Co.

FOR HAVRE.

Bengore Head s—4,000 cwts wheat, Falleymin and Co.

FOR DUNKIRK.

Mameluke s—10,000 cwts wheat, Killick, Nixon and Co ; 13,900 cwts wheat, J Fachiri ; 10,000 cwts wheat, 12,000 cwts linseed, and 4,000 cwts poppyseed, L Lyon and Co ; 1,329 cwts linseed, K Luckmidass and Co.
Northumbria s—2,001 cwts linseed, F L Battliboi.
Niagara s—4,000 cwts wheat, D Sassoon and Co ; 800 cwts horns, E Kaderbhoy ; 4,000 cwts wheat, Killick, Nixon and Co.
Mameluke s—1,999 cwts rapeseed, A Blascheck and Co.

FOR VENICE.

Castle Eden s—1,000 cwts linseed, A Blascheck and Co.

FOR ANTWERP.

Inchcrlina s—4,000 cwts wheat, Stark Winkler and Co ; 20 cwts gum Arabic, M Moossa ; 1,999 cwt poppyseed, Tod Durant and Co ; 1,999 cwts poppyseed, Ernsthausen and Co.
Bishopsgate s—21,000 cwts wheat, J C Bushby and Co ; 18,079 cwts linseed, and 12,000 cwts wheat, D Sassoon and Co ; 5,207 cwt rapeseed, and 4,002 cwts linseed, J C Bushby and Co.

FOR GENOA.

Pancras s—3,000 cwts wheat, D Sassoon and Co.

FOR HONGKONG.

Bormida s—30 cwts fennelseed, Yue Lun Ching ; 75 cwts fennelseed, 90 cwts bysobole, 16 cwts kisuisu, 27 cwt senna leaves, and 18 cwts cloves, Quan Lun Evoo ; 20 gallons rosewater, S S Perry.

MILITARY INTELLIGENCE.

ARRIVALS.—JUNE 4.

O'Connel, Major, Bo, RI Dubo Fusrs, on leave, from Kurrachee.

JUNE 2.

Lewis, Lieut, Bo, M W D, on leave, from Aden.

JUNE 3.

Wetherall, Major, 22nd Bo Infy, on leave, from Ahmedabad.
Elles, Lieut-Col, Bl, RA, on leave, from Jutagh.

JUNE 4.

Chase, Capt, Bo, 28th Pioneers, on leave, from Poona.

JUNE 5.

Biddulph, Lieut, Bo, R H A, on leave, from Kirkee.
Sandwich, Capt, 8th Bo Infy, on leave, from Ahmednuggur.
Murray, Lieut, Bo, D A C Grs, on leave, from Mhow.
Yaldwyn, Major, Bl, A C Gl, on privilege leave, from Bareilly.

DEPARTURES.—JUNE 5.

Carnegy, Lieut, 9th Bo Infy, on medical certificate, to England.
Denesford, Lieut, 2nd Bl N I, on privilege leave, to England.
Lyon-Campbell, Lieut, Ms, 1st Cheshire, on leave, to England.
Smith, Lieut, Madras, 1st Cheshire, on leave, to England.
Stodaly, Captain, 16th Bl Cavy, on leave, to England.
Chase, Capt, Bo, 28th Pioneers, on leave, to Australia.
Biddulph, Lieut, Bo, R H A, on leave, to England.
Wetherall, Major, 22nd Bo Infy, on leave, to England.
Elles, Lieut-Col, Bl, R A, on general leave, to England.
Murray, Lieut, Bo, D A C G, on privilege leave, to England.

BOMBAY VOLUNTEER ARTILLERY.
REGIMENTAL ORDERS BY Captain A. LESLIE, COMMANDING B. V. A.
Bombay, 6th June, 1891.
1. There will be a Regimental Committee Meeting at Head-quarters, Fort, on Monday next, at 6 p.m. Members of the Committee are particularly requested to attend.
By Order.
(Sd.) J. SANDERS SLATER, Lieut.,
Acting Adjutant, B. V. A.

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE

FRIDAY EVENING, JUNE 5.

CONSOLS were ⅛ per cent. lower in London yesterday at 95 *ex div.* ; but French Rentes in Paris were one per cent. higher, according to Reuter, at 95f. Indian Sterling Loan in London was unaltered at 104 *ex-div.* A further advance of ¼d. per oz. took place in the price of Bar Silver, at 44⅜d. ; but Rupee Securities remained at yesterday's enhanced quotations of £74 9-16 for Fours, and £76 1-16 for 4½ per cents. ; and in New York the metal was ½ cent higher, at 97½, with demand Exchange on London ½ cent lower at 4·88¼ dollars. Five lakhs of extra Bills on Calcutta were allotted yesterday at 1s. 4 27-32d., which is an advance of 1-32d. on Wednesday's regular rate, though the same as that of the trifling amount of extra Bills placed on the same day. The Exchange Banks' buying rate on India at 30 days' sight remained at 1s. 4⅜d., to which it was put up on Wednesday. Paris Exchange on London was two centimes lower, at fcs. 25·29½.

The Bank of England Returns for the week ending on the 3rd instant showed a further improvement in the position of the Reserve, which stood at 44 per cent. of the Liabilities, against 41 per cent. last week, and 36 per cent the week before ; and in presence of this result, and of the generally easier feeling in the London Money Market, the Bank rate was yesterday put down one per cent., making the minimum 4 per cent. The Market rates of discount were also reduced by ⅜ per cent. on short London Bills, and ½ on six months' sight Indian Bank Paper, say to 3½ per cent. all round. A further payment of £425,000 in gold into the Bank of England was made yesterday.

No further advices are to hand through Reuter regarding the Wheat and Seed Markets, which we may, therefore, assume to be unchanged. The London Goat Skin Sale closed yesterday with prime and common qualities dull, prices of the former being 1d., and of the latter 1 to 1½d. per lb. lower. The number of Skins sold was only 580,000 out of the 920,000 offered.

Mid.-American Cotton in Liverpool recovered yesterday the decline of 1-16d. established on Tuesday, and was again quoted at 4¾d. per lb. ; arrivals having also advanced 3-64d. per lb. in almost all positions, the extreme quotations being 4 39-64d. for June deliveries, and 4 55-64d. for October-November. East Indians were unchanged in value. The market closed firm generally, steady for Surats, and quiet for arrivals, the total sales having aggregated 8,000 bales, including 600 Surats. The days' imports were 4,000 bales. The Manchester Market was quiet but steady.

In New York, 8⅞ cents was still the price of ready Mid.-Uplands ; but September Futures were 7 points higher, at 8·83 cents. The Receipts at the U. S. Ports were 3,000 bales ; and the figures for this season now compare as follows with those of the previous two years :—

	1891.	1890.	1889.
Thursday's Receipts	3,000	900	800
Five days' do.	24,000	4,400	5,200
Since 1st Sept. '90,	6,747,000	5,717,400	5,465,400

Cotton has been very quiet locally to-day, neither the Mills nor Exporters having been in the market to any extent ; the purchases of the latter have been confined to 100 bales each of Ujein, at Rs. 172, and Bengal, at Rs. 157 ; while the former have taken only 250 bales of Bhownugger, at 150-69½ ; 100 Dhollera, at Rs. 163 ; and 50 Compta, at Rs. 155½ per candy.

WHEAT has been comparatively neglected by shippers, only a small business having transpired to-day ; but the tone of the market keeps steady, and prices are quite unchanged.

SEEDS have continued in moderate request for export, and a further advance of ½ anna per cwt. has been established in the price of Linseed at Rs. 6-7-0 to Rs. 6-10-0 per cwt. ; but all other descriptions are steady at previous quotations.

The Receipts of Produce into Bombay yesterday were as follows :—

Cotton	6,052 bales.
Wheat	109,665 cwt.
Linseed.....	16,634 „
Rapeseed	2,326 „
Gingelly	523 „
Poppyseed	563 „
Groundnuts.....	1,796 „
Castorseed	2,028 „

FREIGHTS are very weak, and no fresh business has transpired to-day, there having been no takers of tonnage.

EXCHANGE opened firm this morning with sellers of Bank Demand at 1s. 4⅜d., and only one buyer of three months' sight Credits for the mail at 1s. 5 3-32d. The latter was soon satisfied, and rates closed at 1s. 5¼d. for the mail, 1s. 5 5-32d. being the quotation for June delivery. We quote :—

Bank Bills on Demand	1s. 4 ⅜d.	per rupee.
Do. Telegraphic	1s. 4 13-16d.	„
Do. 3 months' sight ...	1s. 5d.	„
Credits do.	1s. 5¼d.	„
Francs do.	1·80½	„

GOVERNMENT PAPER, under the influence of the improvement in the governing metal, has been strong and advancing again to-day, closing quotations for Fours having been 106⅛ for Money ; 106 5-16 for the settlement at the end of this month ; and 106½ for the 30th July account. 107½ is the nominal quotation for 4½ per cents.

SHARES remain very quiet, and our quotations are generally unchanged. We note, however, an advance of Rs. 10 in Bombay Flour Mill shares ; and of Rs. 2½ in Bank of Bombay.

DIVINE SERVICES.

SECOND SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY, 7TH JUNE, 1891.

ST. THOMAS' CATHEDRAL.

6·30 a.m.—Holy Communion.
7·30 a.m.—Matins.
8 a.m.—Holy Communion—(Choral) Agutter in G.—Hymns 163, 323 and 324.
6 p.m.—Evensong and Sermon.—Hymns 298, 162 and 38. Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis.
Daily Matins at 6·45 a.m., and Evensong at 5·15 p.m.
Tuesday and Thursday—Celebration at 7·15 a.m.

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH, MALABAR HILL.

7·30 a.m.—Matins and Holy Communion.
6 p.m.—Evensong and Sermon.

ST. STEPHEN'S CHURCH, BANDORA.

10·45 a.m.—Matins—Holy Communion and Sermon.

ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST, COLABA.
(Afghan Memorial Church.)

7 a.m.—Choral, Matins and Sermon. (Parade Service).—Hymns 4, 321 and 173.
8 a.m.—Holy Communion.
6 p.m.—Choral, Evensong, and Sermon—Hymns 261, 297, and 27.

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH, ESPLANADE.
(Near School of Art.)

7·45 a.m.—Celebration of the Holy Communion and Sermon.—Hymns 245, 279 and 317.
4 p.m.—Sunday School.
6 p.m.—Evening Prayer and Sermon.—Hymns 220, 251 and 296.
The offertories for Church expenses and poor relief.

WESLEYAN METHODIST CHURCH.
(Colaba Causeway.)

11 a.m.—Revd. J. Scott.
4·30 p.m.—Sunday School.
6 p.m.—Revd. J. Scott.
(Byculla, Victoria Gardens.)
9 a.m.—Revd. J. Scott.
4·30 p.m.—Sunday School.
6·30 p.m.—Mr. T. G. Charter.
10·15 a.m.—Marathi—Mr. S. Rahator.

CHRIST CHURCH, BYCULLA.

11 a.m.—Morning Prayer, Sermon, and Holy Communion.—Hymns 219, 309 and 317.
5 p.m.—Sunday School.
6 p.m.—Evening Prayer and Sermon.—Hymns 291, 263 and 31.

SEAMEN'S INSTITUTE.
(This Saturday evening, at 8·30.)
Grand Dramatic Entertainment, Admission, as usual, free, but a collection will be made to provide certain desiderata for the Institute.

ST. PETER'S CHURCH, MAZAGON.

7 a.m.—Holy Communion—(Choral) ; Sermon by Rev. Br. Beale.
10 a.m.—Catechism and Matins ; by Rev. Fr. Gardner.
6 p.m.—Evensong (Choral) ; Sermon by Rev. Fr. Gardner.
Daily 6·30 and 7 a.m., and 3 p.m.—(Choral).
Alms for general expenses.

ST. NICHOLAS' CHURCH.

7·30 a.m.—Holy Communion.
6·30 p.m.—Evensong and Sermon.

MISSION CHURCH, GIRGAUM.

11 a.m.—Morning Prayer, Sermon and Holy Communion.—Hymns 219, 325, and 317.
6 p.m.—Evening Prayer, and Sermon.—Hymns 237, 133, and 31.

TELEGRAMS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

THE BACCARAT SCANDAL.

LONDON, JUNE 5.

Lieutenant Lovett, in his evidence in the Baccarat libel case, testified to seeing Sir William Gordon Cumming cheating, but purposely abstained, out of regard for a brother officer, from watching the second evening's play. The witness narrated what transpired at the conference with Sir Gordon in January, after which at Sir Gordon's entreaty, an attempt was made to arrange matters, but this Mr. Green refused to do.

Mr. Green also testified to seeing the cheating, but refrained from instantly exposing Sir Gordon, owing to the presence of his Royal Highness the Prince of Wales and the ladies.

It transpired during yesterday's proceedings that the counters used belonged to the Prince.

THE BEHRINGS SEA QUESTION.

The Bill prohibiting British subjects from sealing in the Behrings Sea until May, 1892, has been read a third time and passed by the House of Commons.

AN INDIAN STERLING LOAN.

LONDON, JUNE 4.

The issue of an Indian Sterling Loan of £2,600,000 is announced, the minimum being fixed at £92. Tenders will be received up to 10th June.

MRS. GRIMWOOD.

In the House of Commons yesterday, Sir J. Gorst, in reply to a question, said he regretted, in view of the courage and devotion displayed by Mrs. Grimwood during the recent disaster in Manipur, that there was no Indian Order which could be conferred on ladies.

THE REPORTED ANGLO-ITALIAN ALLIANCE.

Replying to a question in the House of Commons last night regarding the report which has been revived that the British had promised to protect the Italian coasts against the French, Sir James Fergusson, Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs, stated that her Majesty's Government had entered into no engagement pledging the employment of the army or navy in any contingency, but agrees with Italy in desiring that the existing situation in the Mediterranean should remain unchanged. The sympathies of Great Britain, he said, were on the side of those who maintain that policy.

A RACING SCANDAL.

The stewards of the Jockey Club have refused to grant licenses to the following jockeys:—Thomas Loates, Samuel Loates, A. White, and T. J. Calder.

THE CIVIL WAR IN CHILI.

VALPARAISO, JUNE 4.

The Insurgent steamer Itata arrived at Iquique to-day. She was at once delivered over to the United States war vessels in port, together with the 5,000 rifles she had on board.

THE MAILS.

SUEZ, JUNE 5.

The P. and O. Company's steamer Kaiser-i-Hind, with the English mails of the 29th May, left this port for Aden at 4 a.m., to-day.

ADEN, JUNE 5.

The P. and O. Company's s. s. Siam, with the homeward mails of the 29th May, arrived here at 3 p. m. yesterday.

STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

LONDON, JUNE 4.

The Clan Line steamer Clan Forbes arrived here this evening.

PORT SAID, JUNE 4.

The B. I. S. N. Company's steamer Mombassa left here this evening.

GAZETTE OF INDIA NOTIFICATIONS.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

SIMLA, JUNE 5

Home Department.—Surgeon Major Macdonnell officiates as Surgeon Superintendent, Presidency General Hospital, vice Surgeon Major Crombie.

The following rule for regulating the periods for which Magistrates in the Central Provinces may send youthful offenders to reformatories, has been published:—No boy shall be sent to a reformatory school, if under ten, for a less period than seven years; if over ten, for a less period than five years, unless he shall sooner attain eighteen years of age.

The Honourable H. Prinsep, Judge, High Court, Fort William, has been granted privilege leave from June 10 to September 2.

The services of Lieutenant Thatcher, Queen's Own Corps of Guides, have been placed at the disposal of the Burma Government, as an Assistant Commandant, Military Police.

Revenue Department.—Consequent upon the retirement of Captain Wood, Conservator of Forests, 1st grade, Oudh Circle, Mr. Dancey has been confirmed as Conservator of Forest, third grade, and to officiate as second grade; Mr. Shakespear to officiate as Conservator of Forests, third grade, and temporarily hold charge of the Oudh Conservatorship.

Foreign Department.—Surgeon-Major Wright, 5th Bengal Infantry, has been appointed to the medical charge of the Bundelkhand Political Agency; and Second Lieutenant Knox, Wiltshire Regiment, officiates as Wing Officer, Meywar Bhil Corps. The Governor-General in Council recognises the appointment of Mr. Schmuck, Consul for the Netherlands, Ajmere.

Finance Department.—Mr. Merrett, Presidency Postmaster, Madras, has been granted six months furlough; Mr. Bower officiates.

Public Works Department.—Mr. Owen, State Railways, is permitted to resign the service at his own request.

Military Department.—Captain R. Campbell, South Wales Borderers, has been appointed Station Staff Officer, Sialkote, vice Captain Bullock appointed Deputy Assistant Adjutant General.

Second Lieutenants Hughes, Lincolnshire Regiment; Pearson, Manchester Regiment; and White, West Riding Regiment, have been admitted to the 1st Corps.

BOMBAY ARMY ORDERS.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

POONA, JUNE 5.

With reference to G. O. G. No. 291 of the 1st instant, Major F. Stevenson, Assistant Adjutant General, is posted to the Deesa District.

That part of Army Order, No. 267 of the 22nd ultimo relating to Lieutenant F. M. Westropp, Royal Engineers, is cancelled.

Under instructions from the Horse Guards, it is notified that Lieutenant R. M. P. Swift, Royal Dublin Fusiliers, has been posted to the 2nd instead of to 1st Battalion of his Regiment.

Under instructions from Horse Guards, War Office, it is stated that Captain J. B. R. Toms, R.A., has been posted to No. 5 Battery Southern Division, R.A., vice Captain E. A. Butcher selected for the appointment of Adjutant, Rangoon.

Under instructions from the India Head-Quarters it is intimated that Captain A. E. A. Butcher, No. 5 Battery Southern Division, Royal Artillery, has been appointed Adjutant, Royal Artillery, Rangoon; Rangoon Volunteers Artillery and he is to hold his appointment for two years.

The undermentioned officer has been granted leave of absence.

Connaught Rangers 1st Battalion.—Lieutenant W. E. J. Grey to proceed to England from the date of availing himself of it until date of disembarkation of Battalion in England, or of being required by the Regimental Depot.

MANIPUR AFFAIRS.

THE JUBRAJ'S TRIAL.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

ALLAHABAD, JUNE 5.

The trial was again resumed yesterday.

The eleventh witness heard was Chowdrie, a Manipuri sepoy, who stated he was at the top-guard on the night of the 24th March, when the officers came to the durbar. He saw the Jubraj and Ungao Ningto go to the durbar and heard a shouting in the roadway after the durbar. After fifteen minutes, Ungao Ningto came to the top-guard and sent eight sentries to the durbar-hall. While going there witness saw the Jubraj. Four sentries were posted inside, of whom witness was one. There were four sahebs and a sepoy. Jantra Singh was guarding the sahebs. Half-an-hour after, Kambra, a sentry who was outside, said that an order had come to kill the British officers. Jantra Singh became angry and departed with Usorba to make a report. Usorba subsequently returned. Yenkoba said the sahebs were to be made over to the executioner. Kambra ordered witness to lead them out. They were ironed; the wounded one, Lieutenant Simpson, leaning on his shoulder. He handed them over to the head executioner and Saysusinca at the Dragon-gate. There were not many people about. They were in the gateway and gave the sahebs out one by one. Lieutenant Simpson was executed first, and the bugler last. He did not know if the sahebs could see the execution; as witness could not. After the execution he went back to the top-guard, and saw the Jubraj and the Tongal General, who were discoursing. He did not hear their conversation. Many people were present at the execution, but there was no noise.

In the cross-examination by the representative of the prisoner witness stated that Kambra told him that the execution was by order of the Tongal General. He did not know who ordered the Residency to be burnt.

THE FUNERAL OF THE LATE SIR OLIVER ST. JOHN.

The funeral of the late Sir Oliver St. John took place this morning at Quetta. All the civil and military officers in the station were present. The ceremony was a most solemn and imposing one. The firing party consisted of three hundred men of the Durham Light Infantry.

The Gymkhana Races, which was to come off to-day, were postponed.

THE COMMISSIONERSHIP OF BELUCHISTAN.

Mr. H. S. Barnes has been instructed to take charge of the current duties of the Chief Commissioner of Beluchistan, pending orders regarding Sir Oliver St. John's successor.

THE MONSOON FORECAST.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

SIMLA, JUNE 5.

The monsoon forecast of the Meteorological Department has been published for the fortnight:—

1.—It draws attention to the exception of the heavy snowfall, which has been characterised in Afghanistan, Kashmir, Western Himalayas, and probably a large part of Central Asia; also to the excessive pressure which has prevailed over North-western and Central India from January to the end of May. The present season is similar to the years 1868 and 1885. The forecast further says that the snowfall and pressure conditions are unfavourable to Rajputana, Guzerat, southern districts of the Punjab, and western districts of the North-West Provinces. Rainfall may be more or less deficient in the whole of that area, and the possible deficiency will be large and serious.

2.—Snowfall and pressure conditions in the north-east of India is favourable to strong and early monsoon in Bengal and Burma.

3.—Probably Burma and Bengal will obtain the normal or abundant rain.

4.—Conditions are less favourable in Behar and east of the North-West Provinces, but probably they will obtain normal rain.

5.—Pressure and other conditions are unfavourable and Southern India is generally likely to receive favourable rain.

6.—Conditions are partly favourable and partly unfavourable in the north of Bombay and the Berars. The rainfall on the whole is likely to be deficient.

7.—Rainfall in the Central Provinces will probably be fairly normal.

8.—In Malabar strong and early monsoon; on the Bombay Coast it is probable the monsoon will not be established in strength before the third or fourth week in June; and that it will be below the average strength.

Summary.—Conditions in the most are most unfavourable for Rajputana, Gujerat, South Punjab and west of the North-West Provinces, where chances are that rains will be deficient at least five to one, and largely deficient at least two to one.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL NEWS.

LONDON, JUNE 4.

The Liverpool Cotton Market closed firm. Surats steady.

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The Manchester Market has been quiet but steady.

Exchange on India, 30 days' sight. 1s. 4¾d.
2½ per cent. Consols for account.. 95 ex.
3 per cent. French Rentes..... 95¼
4 per cent. Rupee Paper 74 9-16
4½ per cent. " 76 1-16
3½ per cent. Sterling Loan..... 104 ex.
Bar Silver 44⅞

The sum of about £425,000 has been paid into the Bank of England.

The Bank of England returns for the week ending yesterday show the following results:—Total bullion £26,200,000, increase, £1,900,000; public deposits £6,300,000, decrease, £100,000; other deposits £33,300,000, increase, £300,000; other securities £29,990,000, decrease, £1,400,000; notes and gold, £17,700,000, increase, £1,800,000. The Bank's reserve is 44 per cent. of the liabilities.

TELEGRAPHIC WEATHER REPORT.

SIMLA, JUNE 5.

The barometer has fallen briskly over a large part of North-eastern India, but elsewhere the changes are small or moderate, comprising a general rise in the North-West, and general fall in the Peninsula. The pressure is distributed over the Bay, but elsewhere the conditions are similar to those reported yesterday. Winds are generally unchanged, except in the Andaman Sea, where the cyclonic circulation has disappeared. The temperature has generally fallen, the mean temperature being between one and three degrees above the average in Burma, Punjab, Bombay, the Central Provinces, Sind, and Rajputana; between two and ten degrees below in Bengal, the North-West Provinces, Central India, and Madras; and the highest maximum, 118 degrees, in Mooltan. Scattered rain has been reported from Burma, Bengal, and the Peninsula; but nowhere is it heavy.

THE "Conservative Correspondent" of the *Manchester Guardian* wrote from London on Sunday (May 10):—The illness of Sir John Gorst may help to postpone the inevitable "row" upon the Manipore question, but when it does take place it will be interesting to note the attitude which the Under-Secretary for India adopts. The curious form in which he gave his answers upon the question last week attracted at the time a great deal of attention on both sides of the House, and it may be regarded as giving colour to a report which is afloat now of serious differences of opinion at the India Office as to the spirit in which the action of the Indian Government should be dealt with. There is reason to believe that if the blame for the blunder which was undoubtedly committed were brought home to the persons really responsible the position of Indian officials who are very highly placed indeed, would be seriously shaken. Lord Cross is hardly the Minister to take such a task on himself if it can be avoided, and Lord Salisbury's dislike to personal changes in administration extends to the Indian Government. It remains to be seen, however, whether it is possible to gloss the matter over.

VANITY FAIR.

(FROM OUR LADY CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, MAY 15.

SUMMER sunshine and winter, sniffing and sneering—drawing room presentations, and bedroom influenza, levees, fine gowns and unlimited cambric handkerchiefs, have diversified the course of the week. To sympathise with stricken Members of Parliament and to compliment successful debutantes is not an easily combined duty. It is hard to pull a long face before the victim of la grippe, looking his worst in poultices and pocket handkerchiefs, and immediately to change it into a broad smile of pleasure at the sight of one's dearest looking her very best in tulle and feathers. Happily it is all over—the holidays have come and every one is gone or going out of town. Parliament is up, and barrels of sulphur have been sent down to fumigate the House and drive away the dread microbe which has played more havoc lately with debate than obstructive Irish questions, or than impatient Government closure.

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London, from the Society point of view, is again deserted. It is true there is a small residuum of about three million or so inhabitants left in it, but as they are invisible to the Society eye they do not count. For the stray remnant of society left in the desert there is nothing left but to join in the song of the unemployed: "We've got no work to do." Their balls are over for the present, their haunts are deserted; and their occupation is gone.

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For the innocent mind that is easily amused the postal authorities have begun to supply a little toy attached to the pillar-boxes which is productive of infinite amusement, if the player is supplied with an infinite number of pennies. Drop a penny in the slot, pull handle till you see a black spot, then push back the handle, and lo! in a slit behind you will find a little envelope containing a little red memoranda book and a penny stamp. The book in an emergency can be used for writing a letter always provided that you have a pencil at hand. The machine is very systematic in its delivery and will undoubtedly meet a very urgent want; for there are few who sometime or other do want a stamp after the offices close. After this what higher form of happiness could be invented for the British public than a combination machine which by daylight should take photographs and by night supply stamps.

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Among the employments lately invented for ladies is one that will commend itself to many occasional or resident Londoners as a satisfactory answer to the question. "What shall we do with our dogs?" A courageous woman has faced the difficulty of finding a living for herself by offering to exercise dogs at five shillings per dog, per week. Possibly her terms may be lower for an infinite number of dogs, though it is not very likely, as an infinite number of dogs would probably, require an extra amount of whip cord, extra lady or so to administer it, or it would result in their exercising the lady in a manner not contemplated in the prospectus.

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A novelty in hats has been invented in Vienna. It is an arrangement of the hair carried out by the hairdresser so as to be a perfect substitute for a large open straw hat, and is said to be especially becoming with an addition of a long ostrich feather wound round the crown. The inventor is Franz Janik who calls it Coiffure à la Louise and it is unnecessary to say that a hat which has to be unpicked every day its a very expensive one.

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By the will of the late Mrs. Amelia V. Jodrell of 47, Cromwell Houses, the Museum at South Kensington is bequeathed with her valuable collection of works of art, China, miniatures, silver ornaments, and other articles of vertu subject to the acceptance of the bequest within six months, and upon the condition that the collection shall always be kept separately, that no article in it shall be sold or exchanged at any time, and that it shall be known for all time as "the Jodrell Collection."

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The latest departure from the conventional in the art world is the novel idea of the new Society of Portrait Painters, whose exhibition in Prince's Hall, Piccadilly, will be opened on the 26th June, to give each exhibitor a wall space of ten feet from floor to ceiling, whereon may be hung any style of work, black white, water-color, oil-paintings or bas-reliefs, always provided that it is a portrait.

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The Society opens its arms wide to all manner of artists as well as to varieties of work. Messrs. Du Maurier, Furniss, Linley Sambourne, and Phil May are invited to become members, and even womankind will not be excluded, Mrs. Jopling Rowe and several other ladies having been already elected. The committee consists of the following artists:—A. Stuart Wortley, S. J. Solomon, Hubert Vos, Jacomb Hood, and H. Y. Collins. The *Gentlewoman* is holding out a helping hand to the various dress-reformers by offering a series of valuable prizes to ladies for original and beautiful dress designs. The competitor who is adjudged winner of a prize for the prettiest and most suitable costume in any one of the various classes, tennis, yachting, cycling, walking, morning, or tea gowns, will be entitled to have her designs made for herself according to her description by one of the best modistes at "the *Gentlewoman's* sole expense. The editor recognizing that there will be in some cases a difficulty about the drawing, undertakes to have the designs revised so that competitors may not suffer through want of artistic ability. In this way ladies with originality and taste in combining color and materials so as to form effective drapery need not fear, if their description is clear, that the style of their drawing will be a bar to success. The competitions will be interesting, amusing, and possibly profitable to a good many ladies; and to the various dress-reformers, valuable as an opening to push their objects by introducing costumes that have a claim not only to be healthy and what is known as rational, but what all the rest of the world calls wearable is not likely to make a guy of the wearer, or to attract to her the scorn of the small boy in the street.

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Talking of reformed garments, Dr. Mary Walker is reported to have said: "You say a woman who puts on trousers feels like a fool; just you trail around with skirts wet to your knees, flopping about your heels, and then tell me who feels the nearer ready for the cap and bells." Whether Dr. Mary Walker is credited rightly with this picturesque description of our conventional dress, is not of very much consequence. But that there should be any innocent abroad in this last decade of the Nineteenth Century, who believes there are woman trailing around in skirts wet to their knees is very remarkable, and leads up to the conclusion that such an one and not the wearer of the undivided, or of the bifurcated skirt, is entitled to the distinction of adopting the cap and bells.

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The coming dress has been the subject of much and fierce discussion in many papers lately, and though strong adjectives and vigorous protests are the fashion, most of the correspondents are so ultra rabid in their denunciations of the reforms proposed as to suggest that for them the only change necessary is a return to the good old-fashioned straight waistcoat. People seem to forget, when debating about any modification of our costume that it is as much a question of climate, custom, and common-sense, as of propriety. When a string of beads and a palm leaf umbrella meet the exigencies of the situation nobody cries: Fie! Fie!—and when furs are de rigeur, and the female form divine is disguised under the loose fitting top-coat of a grizzly bear, nobody with upturned eyes and hands exclaims: How modest! Then why should paterfamilias rant and rave because his girls propose to cycle in costumes which amongst the daughters of Turkey is considered dignified and elegant? And why should the British matron blush because some of her sisters prefer to show their shapely ankles, instead of their less well-favoured shoulders? Custom causes us to every thing, and excuses every thing. Is it with uncovered neck and arms on a cold March morning awaiting our turn to be presented to Royalty would appear a maniacal act to most of us, if it were not sanctioned by the approval of the highest lady in the land. It is all a question of fashion or custom. Fashion sometimes decrees that our skirts should start on the level of our shoulder blades and another time impedes our progress by tying our sashes not far above our knees, and we get accustomed to its vagaries and pass them unnoticed as long as they are brought about by the invisible but omnipotent deities that rule our modistes' back-shops. But let such changes be suggested under the name of reform and they are scouted as impracticable and absurd.

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A society for the adoption of our present style of corset would hardly have prospered under the Empress Josephine, more than Viscountess Harberton's divided skirt under the present regime, though many people can remember when a somewhat similar fashion to that which she advocates: long frilled trousers under short skirts, was very generally worn by little girls.

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But there is more in the present dress agitation than a mere whim of vanity—an effort to ape man in his manliness. With the emancipation of women from home employments has come a change in their habits and ways; to go out to business, means cycling, riding on top of buses, or rushing for trains; and it can hardly be accomplished with comfort, in fragile cumbrous garments usually allotted to women. A similar revolution to that which swept away men's rich velvet coats; lace frills and silk hose for every day wear when such things were no larger suitable to their avocations, will follow women's entrance into the trades and professions. In a little white silks and velvets, lace, flowers, and court plumes will only be worn like men's court-suits, swords, and cocked hats, on state occasions by the select few who make their bow before the Sovereign and the paterfamilias or the British matron of that day will not even re-echo our cry: Oh the pity of it Iago; the pity of it.

MY FRIEND'S SERMON.

To the majority of laymen the conscious or unconscious plagiarism of the Lord Mayor of London, which has raised such teapot tempests at home, does not appear to be such a very terrible offence. Had he published a book or pamphlet "cribbed" from some other author, it would have been different, but how devoutly most church-goers out here often wish that there was more plagiarism and less originality so-called! The gift of eloquence is not granted to all men alike, and with due respect to the Church (of which I am a staunch, if humble, supporter) I fear that numbers (I had nearly written most) of the sermons one has to listen to, do not display that erudition in theology or ordinary study of the subjects propounded which an educated audience has a right to expect. The layman has scant leisure to trace out the connecting links necessary to cement some divine discourse. He, therefore, leaves this to his pastor; but when he finds that the latter just skirmishes round his text, stringing in a thread of truisms to give his sermon length or, as he perhaps fancies, flavour, then it is decidedly disappointing to the attentive listener. It would be a libel to assert that this is always the case. But it would be equally absurd to say it seldom happens. Luther knew human nature well when he wrote: "I would not have preachers torment their hearers and detain them with long and tedious preachings"; and I think this remark of his might be hung up in many vestries with advantage. What, however, most of us want is for our clergyman to help us to diagnose our subject, to tell us where to read it up and not entangle us in a labyrinthian search.

"Well! What's the matter with you?" I once heard a Doctor ask a crusty patient, who had called him in.

"if I knew what was the matter with me do you think I'd have sent for you? I'd have just looked up the case in the the pharmacopœia, where I'd have found a deuced sight better prescription than you'd be likely to give me."

So I consider it is with sermons. We require to be taught by a professional Divinity scholar what, and where, to read; and not to be subjected to either that device of mediocrity in the pulpit, a controversial display between the preacher and some imaginary disputant whom he crushes before his "in conclusion:" or else treated to wishy-washy sentiment tuned into what is meant for a sympathetic twang. This sort of thing only creates a congregation of automatons, so to speak. Many of us have no doubt heard the story of the sailor who attended church for the first time, and consequently took everything in its most practical and serious aspect. So when the clergyman mounted the pulpit and called out without any preliminary introduction, "Who will come up with me to Ramoth Gilead to do battle?" the sailor looked around to see the result of his appeal. When, however, after a long pause, the clergyman once more repeated his text, without any apparent response: it was too much for his nautical listener, who jumped up and shouted to the congregation: "You're a bloomin' lot of cowards it seems to me, but I'll go up to wherever it is with the gentleman and do battle."

This is a digression, but it points a moral—to preachers. In plain words what we want is for our preachers to be our instructors, to read up their subjects carefully and give us the benefit of their studies; and unless specially gifted (as happily many are) to avoid those "sounding nothings" which reach the ear, but not the brain. Better by far to plagiarise or else honestly give out that the sermon is taken from those of Cannon Liddon, Kingsley, or some other able preacher.

"I guess he'll alienate more Christians than he'll proselytize niggers," I remember a Yankee once remarking after listening to a well-meaning missionary, who had worked himself up into a fine state of frenzied elocution of the word—twisting repetition sort. Yet few of us have escaped that *da capo* style even from the orthodox pulpit.

Now after this somewhat extended introduction I will go on to the story of my friend's sermon. He used to relate the episode somewhat cynically against himself, and I think it is worth re-telling if only to show that it is not altogether the sermon that makes the parson. Nevertheless like good looks in a woman it goes most of the way in his favour. The Rev. A——was a Don of Magdalen Oxford, and a man of culture, which took in a variety of studies from geology to botany, and though also something of a naturalist he certainly was no sportsman. He led a happy contented existence among his books, varied by those friendly little postprandial disputations with equally well-read men in the common room, and an occasional ramble abroad in search of botanical and other specimens. A perfect life of its kind. He, moreover, preached an exceedingly good sermon, and it was on one of those occasions when his turn (as Fellow) came round to deliver the 'Varsity sermon at St. Mary's that the Duke of——happened to be present,: who afterwards spoke a good deal about the sermon: also enquired about the man. This brought my friend A——into notice, and he was shortly afterwards offered the "fat" living (these existed in the days I write of) of X. in Yorkshire as a stepping stone to further preferment. He accepted it, and found himself buried away in a wild picturesque position of that picturesque county, with a congregation consisting of village bucolics, a fair sprinkling of well-to-do farmers and their families, one or two really rich yeomen who held a considerable acreage in fee simple and "the squire" who lived ten miles off up hill and down dale. There was a greater man even than the squire, who belonged to the neighbourhood, but he was a colonial governor somewhere and so his pew was empty. Now the first Sunday A——officiated at X. his sermon was listened to most attentively; but it was evident that his congregation did not quite understand it, and subsequently it seemed as if they found it equally difficult to interpret him when outside the pulpit. The last three rectors had all been keen sportsmen, fox-hunting parsons who got to know more of their parishioners in the hunting field than elsewhere. They too had farmed and preserved the Glebe lands of which there were a fair share with good shooting. The Rev. A——was unfortunately no sportsman (as his poaching parishioners soon discovered) and although the people grew to like him in a tolerant fashion, and found that they could impose upon him far more easily than upon his predecessors, yet being obstinately conservative, they, in the main, preferred the type they had become accustomed to. As to A——'s sermons, they very soon gave up listening to or trying to understand them, simple though he invariably endeavoured to make them. There was only one service on Sunday at X., and it was always well attended: but no sooner had A——ascended the old extinguisher capped pulpit than his audience settled itself into the most comfortable positions for a snooze only waking up and shaking itself together when the final "Amen" from the clerk heralded the close of the sermon. Service over, the squire would sometimes stay for luncheon at the rectory (urged to do so by his wife, for he had daughters; and an unmarried rector of X. was always rather more than less of *a parti*), the greater yeomen would have a glass of wine or ale in the hall, for they all had long distances to drive; but there were none of those jolly Sunday-afternoon reunions which used to be there, when the next week's prospect of sport was discussed to an accompaniment of sound port and tobacco. A——, however, kept on the even tenor of his way and hardly knew what his parishioners thought about him, until one day an old college chum, also a parson, came down to see him. In four days B——(for so we may as well call him) was the most popular man in those parts. He had won over the sexton (who was also clerk and postmaster) by listening to his manner of laying out his graves, a subject which A——invariably cut short; he had walked to the post office with him, and set his wife and pretty daughter giggling with suppressed vanity over some blatant compliment. He had caught the biggest trout in the stream, had headed the bag at a rattling day's rabbit shooting with the yeomen, and cured the squire's pet pointer. Then, it was on the Saturday, he was asked to preach the next day. Now poor B——was an excellent practical Christian of the muscular type, clever enough, but he never could make any hand of a sermon. That is of one of his own. The fact was he really never gave himself sufficient time to think one out properly, a common failing which accounts for nine-tenths of the slip-shod productions we have to listen to. Therefore, when he was asked to preach a thing he had not calculated upon he was rather staggered. He told A——so.

"Oh never mind," said A——, "preach one of mine." Adding with a cynical smile, "They never listen to the sermon you know."

"Humph! Happy thought! but I say, old fellow, give me one that you have not preached for years."

"All right," replied A——"You'll find a bundle of MS. in the chiffonier in the library, only be sure to take one of those on the bottom shelf. They're the oldest, don't suppose I've preached one of them here yet."

So B——went to the library, selected a sermon from the bottom shelf of the chiffonier, as directed, and retired early to his bed-room with his pipe and the MS. to mug it up, and "give it a good chance of delivery," he said.

The next day when B——mounted the pulpit, instead of the usual settling down into cushions and corners, there was a general air of alertness among the congregation. From the squire to the clerk they all evidently "meant listening." For the moment B——felt rather a sickening sensation, lest some horrible one, with a retentive memory might find out his secret: but he put a bold face on it. He had a fine sonorously sympathetic voice, and he rolled out his text with a good determined effect. Then he looked round the church preparatory to proceed with the sermon. Fortunately, he did not glance in the direction of A——at the communion table or he would have felt less comfortable, for A——was looking horror-stricken. He had given out the text of the very last sermon A——had preached the Sunday before from that very pulpit!——could it be a joke on his part? No: for he went straight ahead. It was the same sermon word for word: not even an alteration in the context. He certainly gave it more emphasis vocally and physically than A——had done, for the thumped the cushion until he was quite enshrouded in a halo of dust, but not a syllable of A——'s discourse did he omit. Poor A——felt like a criminal accessory, and B——entered the vestry afterwards positively flushed with success, for his congregation had been the most attentive of audiences, and he had heard the squire say quite audibly as he left his pew. "I wish A——would give us a sermon like that sometimes."

It lay with the clerk, however, to complete his triumph for as he helped B——off with his gown (they preached in black in those days) he said with a sycophantic smirk. "Aah! aah! Mr. B——that were som' at loik a sermon that were—Aye: that were the best sermon we've ever hee'red in this church, that were:"—

As soon as they reached the Rectory A——turned to B——

"What on earth made you to take that sermon of all others! It was the very last I preached only last Sunday."——

B——looked aghast.

"Why, old fellow, I took it from the bottom shelf of the library chiffonier as you told me:"

They went to the library, and it appeared that the housemaid had (after the manner of such menials) "tidied" the library on Saturday morning, and had replaced the bundle of MS. taken from the bottom shelf on to the top one, and *vice-versa*, hence the mistake—

Then B——broke out into a burst of most unholy laughter and told A——what he had heard the squire say, and also what the clerk had said to him. And now B——tells the story rather cynically against himself.

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B——(who has to all intents and purposes retired from the church) is still a scientist known and respected by a small clever circle, but seldom heard of beyond its range.

A——is a rural dean and has married a rich brewer's daughter, who is very proud of her husband's legs and gaiters. He is now Rector of X. and on the higher road to church preferment. He preaches his own sermons, and they are listened to

YEORAH.

THE PROGRESS OF THE MONSOON.

MESSRS. MACKINNON, MACKENZIE AND CO., British India Steam Navigation Company, have received the following telegram from their Calicut agents:—

Monsoon settling in quietly since yesterday (Wednesday).

EXECUTION OF THE KAMBEKAR STREET MURDERER.

BUCHOO HAJEE ABDULLA, the Kambekar Street murderer who was sentenced to death at the last Criminal Sessions for poisoning five of his relatives on the 22nd of January last, will,it is announced, be executed at the Common Jail this morning, at half-past six o'clock, H. E. the Viceroy having refused to entertain the criminal's petition for mercy. As, however, he has appealed unsuccessfully to both H. E. the Governor and next to H. E. the Viceroy, it might not be surprising were he when the hour arrives for him to be led to the scaffold to appeal further to the Secretary of State for India.

ANGLO-INDIAN PASSAGE ASSOCIATION.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "BOMBAY GAZETTE."

SIR,—A company having been registered this week in London, under a title similar to that under which Major L. Bolleau and Captain Foss organised a body of officials and gentlemen, who registered their names as members of the "Anglo-Indian Passage Association," some eighteen months ago. We thought it desirable to cable out yesterday to Bombay that this new company was not in any way connected with the original Indian Passage Association, which title we have from now dropped. We wish it most clearly to be understood that the gentlemen from India, who have laboured so long at this matter, have absolutely no connection with this new "Anglo Indian S. N. and Passage Association Co." We are issuing a circular to our original members by next mail, giving our future plans, and it must be clearly borne in mind that those members who enrolled their names with Major Bolleau, &c., in India should not henceforth use the title "Anglo-Indian Passage Association," nor are there working members at home associated in any way with this new company. Our members are therefore advised to await our circular, which will be signed by me.—Yours, &c.,

LANE MACCORMICK,
Secretary *pro tem* of the late
Anglo-Indian Passage Association.

A MORNING WALK IN LUCKNOW.

A LADY correspondent, describing a morning walk in Lucknow, writes:—A thunderstorm during the night had cooled the atmosphere, and very pleasant was the morning air as we wended our way to the Residency grounds. The white dust was laid by the rain, and the tree-bordered roads were firm and agreeable to walk on. A tree much resembling our English laburnum shone out here and there with its rich clusters of golden flowers. The main gateway of the Residency still stands, supported by iron cross-bars. It is riddled by shot and shell, and the walls of the buildings within the Residency enclosure bear marks of the same cruel nature. The small cemetery within the Residency has its complement of named and nameless graves, holding the precious dust of brave men, of patient enduring woman, and of innocent hapless children. Officers and privates, one in courage, one in suffering, share one tomb. Their memory lingers only as a tale that is told. The hearts that here and in distant lands then throbbed for them in painful suspense, in agonised love, have themselves ceased to beat. No more life's fitful fever mars their rest. Softly we tread the well-kept paths, our hearts full of pity, our eyes shining with a tender moisture, for this is hallowed ground. The fitful gleam of hope, the dull darkness of fear, the cruel pain of long suspense, the keen anguish of loss, loss by a cruel death—these, with the *patience* of hope, the strong courage to battle against despair, the stubborn quelling of the heart's saddest sickness, the plaint of cowardice, the meek resignation, which in agony could pray, God's will be done—all these, with minor sufferings of hunger, thirst, of heat, discomfort, were known within these silent, war-rent walls. And now a pleasant garden surrounds this scene of wrath, of hate, of bloodshed. The wild birds make their nests secure; there, in the green gleam of leafy boughs, the golden oriole flies like a flash of light; the merry little squirrels chase each other the live-long hapy day; gay, thoughtless insects flit from sweet to sweet; the stately peacock airs his stateliness on some forgotten grave. We turn away; sorrow and joy struggling in our hearts;—the joy of life, the pleasure of the now, and sorrow on the right and on the left the crumbling walls with all their silent stones have witnessed, throw a shadow of sadness athwart our spirits.

AN ACTION FOR ALIMONY.

MR. SONAWALA, barrister-at-law, filed an information yesterday before Mr. Richardson, at the Esplanade Police Courts, against Darashaw Nowrojee Patel, on behalf of his wife, Bai Mohrbai, praying for alimony. In the information it was stated that Mohrbai was married to her husband on June 6, 1888, but was compelled to leave him a month after nuptials in consequence of ill-treatment from him and his relations. On the promise of a monthly allowance of Rs. 25 she left him to reside with her parents, but for fifteen months afterwards this promise was not adhered to. At the expiration of that time the applicant was taken back by her husband to his residence, where after another lapse of about two months the unhappy couple were obliged to vacate their residence for other quarters to escape the ill-treatment of the husband's relatives. Six months passed away under this new arrangement, when the applicant was induced by her husband to return to her parents on the understanding of receiving the amount mentioned as maintenance money. But although she complied and had been living apart for the last eleven months not a pice had been forthcoming. Applicant's father was aged, poor, and consumptive, and was accordingly unable to support his daughter and her child any longer. Under these circumstances Mohrbai wrote to her husband about two months ago to take her and the child under his protection and maintain them; but no reply had yet been received. This application before the Magistrate was made to seek redress from her husband. The Magistrate issued a summons against the husband.

WITH the approval of Major-General Philip Smith, C.B., commanding the district, the members of the Home District Tactical and War Game Society are undertaking an important scheme of reconnaissance this summer. The object of the survey is to prepare a new set of maps for the minor war game, to be used next winter. The country selected is nine square miles, near Godstone and Oxted, just south of the chalk hills near Caterham. Instruction will be given on the ground in reconnaissance, contouring, &c., and each officer will have a small section of country allotted to him to fill in the details; the details thus acquired will be transferred to the 25-inch Ordnance map, which will make an excellent map for the purpose. The arrangements are being made by Colonel Haddan, 4th V. Battalion Royal West Surrey Regiment, assisted by Major Satterthwaite, 2nd V. Battalion Royal West Kent Regiment.

A NEW YORK telegram gives particulars of a frightful disaster in Potter's County, Pennsylvania, to a train which having gone off the rails in the midst of a blazing forest was caught by the fire The train, in which were seventy-five men, was making a dash through a mass of fire when it ran off the line and fell over. In an instant the flames caught the cars, and the passengers, some injured and all dazed by the overturning of the train, had a fearful struggle for life. All behaved with unexampled gallantry, each helping the other so far as he could. About thirty escaped unhurt. Thirty sustained horrible burns, seven are missing, and have probably perished, and six are known to have been burned to death. Among these last is Mr. Badger, superintendent of the line, who perished in his efforts to assist others.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

Two members of the Leprosy Commission, Mr. Kanthak and Dr. Barclay, have, as we announced last week, just carried to a successful conclusion an experiment which will possess the greatest interest for the scientific world. They have succeeded in isolating the bacillus of leprosy and cultivating it in artificial media, such as bouillon and gelatine. The next step was to see whether the artificially cultivated germ could be passed on to animals. A rabbit was chosen for the experiment: inoculation was performed; and after the lapse of several days the animal was killed, when an examination of the body showed the presence of distinct leprous nodules. This is the first time that the bacillus of leprosy has been successfully grown outside the human body, and the importance of the experiment is of course enhanced by the proof of its capability of subsequent transmission to animals. The experts will now have to settle how the discovery bears upon the theories for and against the contagiousness of the disease.

ACCORDING to a local correspondent, the Governor-General of Goa has been sweeping the departments clean. Lieut. Luis N. P. Steyn de Lyra, stationed at Aguada, has been sentenced to 30 days' imprisonment for having addressed insulting words to a lady and assaulted a merchant named Gungaram. Mr. Joaquim Cordeiro De Mello e Castro, of the railway inspecting staff, stationed at Sanvardem, has been suspended for three months for making a false report of an occurrence that took place at that station. An employe of the Salt Department at Damaun has been suspended for [illegible] months, and three sepoys for two months each. Mr. Enclides Francis Pio de Noronha has been removed from the post of president of the administrative committee of the Church Fund of Neura.

THREE of the highest officials of the Midland Railway Company at the present time are self-made men. The Managing Director, Sir James Allport, to whose energy and foresight, when General Manager, much of the Company's prosperity is due, commenced life as a lamp-room porter, afterwards acting for some years as signalman. The present Goods Manager, Mr.

CALIFORNIAN LIFE.

CALIFORNIAN society, says a writer in the *Globe*, has not once, but repeatedly, paid the inevitable penalty of spurious greatness, and been discussed, criticised, and alternately praised and reproved, until there is scarcely a phase of it which is not as familiar to Englishmen as are, presumably, the customs and manners of the *hoi ti* in Great Britain to the Republican journalists of New York city. Who, indeed, has not heard of the sultry Los Angelos country, the gleaming "Golden City," and that unwholesome remnant of barbarian misadventure, the "Digger" Indian? Who has not had the boundless beauties of the Sierra Nevada or the manifold splendours of the Pacific Coast carefully preserved for and laboriously expounded to him by some hot-brained exile from the "Queen of the West," or, mayhap, some wörshipper from the distant shrine of Franciscan antiquities? Who has not been impressed with the conviction that nothing in this hum-drum England of ours can compete with—much less surpass—them in point of interest, novelty, and matchless improbability?

In imagination it is possible to stroll down Kearney and California streets much as one would saunter of a hot summer's afternoon down Bond and the shady side of Regent streets. Let us (mentally at least) make so bold as to visit that picturesque ancient quarter of the city, wherein—if rumour speaks correctly—some of the houses bear dates not inconsistent with the popular belief that they were constructed so long ago as 1856. We know San Francisco as we know London. The Pacific Hotel, with its twenty-eight miles of carpet, its illimitable array of spittoons, and its army of greasy, blustering waiters and swaggering gold-laced managers, has earned a world-wide reputation for unwieldly magnificence and self-assertive display, and has been transformed by many into a contemptuous synonym for overgrown luxury and debauched and ill-regulated splendour. Is not the mere mention of the notorious "Comstock Kings," as the successful speculators are termed, all-sufficient to convey to the mind of the plodding Englishman the idea of incessant gambling with inexhaustible stores of money and the unscrupulous expenditure of ill-gotten millions? And is not the self-indulgent profligacy of the "Golden City" become so marked and shameless as to be a by-word among nations and a constant reproach against the boasted American democracy? Yet "I could wish," says one enthusiastic critic, "no better home for myself and my friends than such an one as noble, sensible men could here (Los Angelos) make for themselves."

And in truth the climate of California is among the finest in the world; its scenery, which should provide inexhaustible material for the painter's brush, has been pronounced by connoisseurs to represent absolute perfection. Its flora and fauna are of unequalled profusion and unexampled beauty; the country has, in point of fact, not a single flaw in it. But, apart entirely from considerations of climate and scenery, California, as a place to live in, should occupy an exalted position. Joined with an entire absence of sectarian bias in matters affecting religion, the only form of "worship" really observed, though all are tolerated, in San Francisco, is a debased form of "Spiritualism" which nobody, not even excepting the exponents of the cults, seem able to define. Free-thinking is, of course, frightfully prevalent, but it does not strange to say, seem to have hardened the people or rendered them less susceptible to the dictates of warmer emotions. They, on the contrary, are eminently charitable and forgiving, and, in this respect, contrast very favourably with many communities in which the outward forms and symbols of Christianity are more closely studied and observed. Speculation—and that of a particularly rash and hazardous kind—is the main occupation of the more prominent citizen, but mining and the kindred pursuits find employment for a constantly increasing body of the people. It is the constant boast of Franciscans that "all men are, equal." Apart, however, from this little weakness, which is in no case serious in the direction of Rousseau the inhabitants of the country almost to a man—they have not yet got to consider women in California—are staunch and unflinching Individualists. With the youth, Mr. Herbert Spencer's works are extremely popular, while Draper's "Conflict of Science and Religion" is never, by any means, suffered to pass neglected. The literature of San Francisco, although necessarily of a crude and somewhat unformed character, can boast of several sterling works of history, biography, and travel, chief among which must be undoubtedly placed Mr. Hubert Howe Bancroft's bulky volume, "The Native Races of the Pacific States."

The Chinese in San Francisco are a constant source of annoyance and vexation to their more prepossessing neighbours. In fact, the Chinese "question," like that of the Irish before Mr. Balfour's *regime*, or the South American blacks at the present moment, threatens to become a veritable thorn in the side of American statesmen of all creeds and denominations. Meanwhile, pending the settlement of this question, it is proposed to restrict, and if possible to repress altogether, the increasing immigration from Asia; but by a treaty entered into years ago between the United States and China the right to emigrate to California was conceded to the Chinese, and it is hardly to be imagined that the Americans will care to enforce, or the Chinese Government permit, the extreme expedient of total and unequivocal banishment. Nevertheless, the question is one which presses for immediate solution.

THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF PORTUGAL.

A LATE member of the Portuguese Parliament writes to the *Globe* as follows:—

"The moral, political, and financial position of Portugal is not good indeed, nor do we need now to study the causes that have brought my country so low a condition; but there is nothing in that condition to-day that has not, to the knowledge of all, and specially so of England, existed for many years past; and still the money market, the Press, and the public of England have upheld the credit of that country; have lent her money on too large a scale; have praised her ways, and accepted her engagements, encouraging thereby the known evils of her misgovernment. Either England has been wrong all along in keeping up and abetting an artifical, and, I should say, immoral credit to the benefit of certain moneylenders, but to the ruin of the poor bondholders, who have after all to bear the losses of bankrupt estates; or you are, as you do in to-day's issue, exaggerating now with a haste and a venom not less condemnable the evils and dangers of the hour, by which speculators only will also get a profit at the cost of Portugal's misfortunes and of the same helpless bondholders who become the joint victims of all political and Stock Exchange wirepullers. The truth is, however (and for truth's sake I appeal to you to publish this letter), that if any difference exists to-day in my country's economical position, compared with what it was a few months or years ago, that difference is entirely in favour of her credit, of her prosperity, and of her political and commercial position. The crisis brought upon the colonial questions, and the settlement, whatever it may be—a settlement at any rate of her vast, unquestionable, and acknowledged wealth and superior position in the great continent of the immediate future—has been a great boon, from which the country will derive manifold benefits, if she can only once for all possess an intelligent, strong, and honest administration.

"Now, the first step by which such an administration would raise the morals in public affairs in Portugal, seriously improve its finances, and restore to a great extent its credit at home and abroad, would be the creation of an independent and public court of inquiry (a Royal Commission or a Parliamentary Committee) to investigate under certain framed rules the nature, the conditions, and the actual results of every loan contracted by the State and issued by the various Portuguese Ministries since 1852—allowing every interested party to be duly represented at such an inquiry. I assure you, Sir, that from this preliminary step on the road of a genuine moral and practical reform in my country, a very large percentage of our present public debt would find its way back from sundry private pockets at home and abroad into the Portuguese Treasury, whereby that country and the *bona fide* bondholders in England and elsewhere would largely benefit. That the time is fast approaching when a sort of International Board of Public Credit is required for the legitimate protection of the borrowing and of the lending nationalities, the experiences and disclosures of every day evidently prove. Let the genuine creditors of my country, with a just, calm, and unprejudiced spirit of mutual protection, take the lead in the matter, and they will soon find that Portugal is not bankrupt—that it is an honest and solvent nation, only needing now to be assisted by strong moral encouragement and the efficient help of her friends' good will, to enable her to avoid chaotic struggles fraught with dangers, and at the same time get rid of, to say the least, imbecile, selfish, and narrow-minded Governments, who under pretext of developing the country's wealth and of meeting pressing liabilities which are mostly created by most grave maladministration, commit the country to certain ruin, by which England would be the greatest loser in many counts. A wise, just, and patient help in this crisis would soon prove that of all the countries who are now debtors to the English bondholders, Portugal is the one by which they are not likely to lose in the future, as they have never yet lost anything in the past. Let not the Press of England start the cry of ravens who seek for carrion, while there is noble life and natural power in the country which can be turned into incalculable good to herself, to the English bondholders, to English commerce, and I must say to the world at large, in this rather serious and widespread social and financial crisis, which calls for prudence from all quarters. The holders of Portuguese stock,—I mean the real investors and genuine holders,—ought to protect themselves and their honest solvent debtors, by immediate friendly and joint action, and for that all-important purpose, they must begin, as I do, by protesting in a most emphatic manner against the unjust, and let me say injudicious cry, that "Portugal is bankrupt."

YOUNG men who get engaged would do well to remember that any gifts they make to their idols before the wedding takes place, cannot be recovered should the engagement come to nothing. At Liverpool, the other day, a disappointed suitor found himself mulcted in considerable costs for not bearing that fact in mind. Having become engaged to a lovely damsel, he lent her papa £3 to buy a fat pig. Later on, he told the debtor not to bother about repayment, but to hand over the money, whenever convenient, to the daughter, for the purchase of an engagement-ring. Subsequently, however, a quarrel took place between the loving couple, terminating in the collapse of the engagement, and the jilted gentleman thereupon sought to recover his money in the County Court. But the Judge held that he had made a free gift of it to the young lady, the purchase of the pig being merely a side-issue of the tragic affair.

MR. SIMS REEVES'S FAREWELL CONCERT.

THE great singer, whose ceremonious leave-taking attracted an enormous and enthusiastic audience to the Albert Hall on Monday (11th ult.), has shown himself not only a master of the art of singing, but an expert in that of saying farewell. It is now some 11 years since he announced, in a letter to *The Times*, his intention of retiring from the career of a public singer in 1892, and for some time before that the infrequency of his appearances at concerts in which he was announced to take part had given a peculiar value to the occasions on which he actually appeared. Had it not been for this habit of sacrificing everything to his voice, and never allowing himself to sing when physically indisposed, it is fairly certain that his farewell appearance would have been of necessity made many years ago instead of taking place at a distance of 52 years from his *début* at Newcastle. It is remarkable that, like so many eminent tenors, Mr. Reeves began his career as a baritone, his first part being Count Rodolfo in La Sonnambala. His first tenor part was in Lucia, an opera in which he made a lasting success. The fact that he played Captain Macheath and other characters in the old-fashioned ballad operas serves to show how great a change has passed over English musical taste since his early artistic life. He sang for a generation that cared far more about the manner of performance than about the matter performed. Yet his greatest triumph of all, and one with which his name will always be connected, was his delivery of the great solos of Handel, and particularly of two—"Sound and alarm," from Judas, and "The enemy said," from Israel. At many successive Handel festivals his rendering of these two songs made an ineradicable impression upon all who were present. At a time when musical taste was almost dead among the general public in England he did what was possible for him in upholding the dignity of art, though he has never been very firm in resisting the temptations or the trumpery ballad. His exquisite declamation of "Come into the garden, Maud," makes it a matter of course that this song should be included in any programme intended to recall the successes of the singer; but it was surely unnecessary to include such a song as Mr. A. S. Beaumont's "Garden of Roses" on an occasion of special interest, such as that of Monday. But the audience which assembled to bid the great singer farewell was not inclined to be critical, and it applauded indiscriminately all that was set before it, reserving especial bursts of enthusiasm for Mme. Nilsson, Mme. Antoinette Sterling, and, it is needless to say, for Mr. Sims Reeves himself. A programme of portentous length was usefully prolonged by encores, Mme. Nilsson having to give Schubert's "Serenade" after her performance of the same composer's "Erl-Konig," and two Swish songs after the "Jewel Song" from Gounod's *Faust*, a like honour being accorded to Mme. Antoinette Sterling and to the Meister Glee Singers. All the artists who appeared seemed fired with the enthusiasm of the occasion, and sang their best, especial impression being created by Mme. Norrica, Miss Gomez, and by Mr. Eaton, a pupil of Mr. Sims Reeves, who is endowed with a fine soprano voice, which ought to be useful in oratorio. Besides singing the two songs already mentioned, Mr. Sims Reeves took part with Mme. Nilsson in the duet, "Ah! Morrir," from Verdi's Ernani, and as his last song sang Davy's "Bay of Biscay," giving it with an amount of fire and feeling which made it difficult to believe that the singer was the veteran he confessed to being in the few well choosen and graceful words in which, in response to the loud calls for a speech, he finally took his leave. The singer's retirement from the platform was the signal for a display of enthusiasm, such as is seldom witnessed in this country. The whole audience rose as one man from their seats, and remained standing for some minutes, cheering and waving handkerchiefs, and it was not until Mr. Sims Reeves had repeatedly made his thanks that, with three hearty cheers, led by the gallery and taken up by the whole house, the vast audience began to disperse.

At an earlier stage of the proceedings Mr. Irving appeared on the platform and delivered the following graceful and appropriate lines, from the pen of Mr. Walter Herries Pollock:—

Oft have these walls beheld rapt crowds rejoice,
Hushed by the wonders of a matchless voice,
Yet marked not, that twas the owner's part
To wed its glory to a glorious art,
Recall the past of platform and of scene,
And learn how vast the artist's range has been.
No depth of passion that he could not plumb,
No pitch of gaiety that found him dumb,
A master he of Handel's loftiest mood,
A master, too, of lightest interlude,
Now thrilling us with Elgar's wild despair,
Now brilliant in Macfanan's contcupt of care;
He dealt alike with Jephthah's misery,
And Nelson's splendid death and victory:
He knew the heart of Faded Rose, and now
How bright and brave was Fra Diavolo;
In all the follower of a perfect plan
To keep the perfect name of gentleman.
His "Message" in our hearts will ever live,
Another message now 'tis mine to give;
Not mine to sing, but mine it is to say,
In his great name, farewell to you to-day.
Farewell, a word where joy with grief contends,
Farewell, a word of hope from friend to friends.

"WIT IN THE PULPIT."

SOME good stories—new and old—of pulpit pleasantries are told by Mr. Haweis in the defence of "Wit in the Pulpit," which he contributes to the May *Contemporary Review*:—"Three young fellows came in (he writes) and settled themselves conspicuously in the gallery with their *hats on*. In vain the officials requested them to uncover. Of course Mr. Spurgeon's eye was soon upon them, and, leading his discourse round to the respect which all Christians are bound to show for the feelings of others, 'My friends,' he said, 'the other day I went into a Jewish synagogue, and I naturally uncovered my head; but on looking round I perceived that all the rest wore their hats; and so, not wishing to offend against what I supposed to be their reverent practice, though contrary to my own, I conformed to Jewish use and put on my hat. *I will now ask those three young Jews* up in the gallery to show the same deference to our Christian practice in the House of God as I was prepared to show them when I visited their synagogue, and *take off their hats*.' He would indeed be a pedant and a prig who could refuse a sympathetic smile of approval, even in the sanctuary, to a rebuke so genial, so witty, and so just."

"The use of dramatic action has sometimes been carried to a ludicrous excess, but also with effective results in the way of rivetting attention. 'What's that thee says, Paul, I *can do all things*?' I'll bet thee half-a-crown o' that.' So the preacher took out half-a-crown, and put it on the Bible. 'However,' he continued, 'let's see what the Apostle has to say for himself.' So he read on, '*through Christ that strengtheneth me.*' 'Oh!' says he, 'if that's the terms of bet, I'm off!' and he put the half-crown back into his pocket. Perhaps jester! will you say; but what is the sermon which followed on the power of Christian grace was listened to with breathless attention, and perhaps never forgotten?"

The sallies indulged in by eminent preachers to awake sleepers would fill a volume. Here are two:—Dr. South, preaching before Charles II., and perceiving that several of the worldly Court circle were about napping, stopped and called loudly to Lord Lauderdale by name: 'My lord, my lord, I am sorry to interrupt your repose, but I must beg of you not to snore quite so loud, lest you awaken his Majesty.' But perhaps for dry and pungent humour and keen satire Dean Swift's famous sermon 'On Sleeping in Church,' in which he takes the Eutychus episode in Acts for his text, has never been equalled. 'I have chosen,' so he begins his sermon, 'these words with design if possible to disturb some part of this audience of half an hour's sleep, for the convenience and exercise thereof this place at this season of the day is *very much celebrated*.' He thus improves the text; 'The preachers now in the world, however much they may exceed St. Paul in the art of setting men to sleep, do extremely fall short of him in the power of working miracles; therefore hearers are become more cautious, so as to choose more safe and convenient stations and positions for their repose, without hazard of their persons, and upon the whole matter choose rather to trust their destruction to a miracle than their safety.'"

Here, lastly, are a few instances of "seasonable sallies" in other connections:—The dignified Paley, preaching in the same pulpit to a select audience, which numbered Pitt, then Prime Minister, and a host of eager place-hunters, hungry for the loaves and fishes of preferment, could not resist an irresistibly facetious fling at his audience, and after giving out his text: '*There is a lad here that hath five barley loaves and two small fishes*,' he looked round the church and added with a twinkle of keen satire, '*but what are they amongst so many?*' A smart application or a brisk repartee in the pulpit seem to have found their apologists in all ages. Barton, in a sermon at Norwich, faced boldly the cant sometimes flung at the superior clergy for enjoying large incomes: 'Why, say some of these men, can you not live as the Apostles lived? Why, say I again, let them lay down their goods at the Apostles' feet, and then let them ask that question.' The following application is perhaps a little too sudden and searching for the taste of to-day. 'He,' said the the preacher of a charity sermon, 'he that giveth unto the poor lendeth unto the Lord. Now, my friends, if you are content with your security, down with the cash!'"

IN the presence of an immense crowd of persons, the Mayor of Salford has unveiled a monument that has been erected by public subscription over the grave of the late Mr. Mark Addy, the "Salford hero," at the Salford Cemetery. Addy, it will be remembered, during a life spent on the banks of the Irwell, saved about fifty persons from drowning in that foul stream. After paying for the monument, a sum of £100 is to be handed over to the Salford Corporation to be invested for the provision annually of the "Mark Addy Swimming Prizes."

PRINCE HENRY of Battenberg's recently-purchased schooner, the Gelert, has been re-named the Sheila after his old yacht, and she has undergone a complete refit at Cowes, which has been finished by placing a new figurehead on the vessel, which takes the form of a bust of Princess Beatrice. Prince Henry is to cruise for several weeks during the summer in the Channel, and he will afterwards visit the west of Scotland. The Sheila is a very comfortable vessel, and a good sea-boat, but she has no pretensions to any exceptional speed.

IT must be a very ardent stamp-collector indeed who is responsible for an advertisement in a Mauritius paper, to which a well-known society journal calls attention:—"A stamp-collector the possessor of a collection of 12,544 stamps, wishes to marry a lady who is an ardent collector, and the possessor of the blue penny-stamp of Mauritius issued in 1847." Here (remarks the *Sportsman*) we have an even bolder act than that of the hero in the farce who plunged into matrimony in order to be the possessor of a bit of blue china.

THE EFFECT OF CIVILISATION ON TEETH.

IT is a sad fact, writes the *Evening Standard*, that teeth decay step by step with the march of civilisation. No race of savages recognises the dentist. Some draw a distinction in treatment between one disease and another; all have their medicine-man; but as nothing tooth is held to be obviously and indisputably the result of witchcraft. Such a rare phenomenon could not occur by natural means. So soon, however, as man begins to quit the wholesome, if uncomfortable, life of woods and caves and sea sands—for wholesome it evidently is for those to the manner born—his teeth begin to trouble him. Though deformity be uncommon among Egyptian mummies, we find plenty of gaps whence a tooth has been extracted, and evidence enough of inflammation. So far as our personal knowledge on an abstruse subject goes, there is no sign of dentistry. But in the next stage of civilisation—so to put it roughly—the Greek, that science is far advanced. For examples of equal skill in modern times, we cannot go back further than two generations. In the museum at Athens, with many another object of the same class which would amaze the unlearned reader, are teeth stopped and filed, false teeth, and traces of operations, not so neat, possibly, to the professional eye, but as effective as contemporary skill could perform. So it is with the Etruscans, who, indeed, seem to have been greater sufferers than the Greeks. At Villetri, in special, as we have read, skulls found show singular proficiency in the dental art. Of course, decayed teeth are very rare in either case, but degeneration has begun; malformation occurs. We have an historic example in the case of Pyrrhus, King of Epirus. That hero—Plutarch tells—had a ridge of solid bone where the teeth should be, which, by a freak of nature, showed lines and inequalities simulating the normal arrangement. The broad fact may be admitted, because such deformities are occasionally seen at this day; but those lines of division, serving no intelligible purpose, are doubtful. Among skulls dug up in prehistoric tumuli, decayed teeth are unknown. Very commonly, however, there are among old people, such as suffer inflammation as prove that the long-forgotten dead must have suffered agonies. After grinding dry pulse and cereals for a lifetime, their teeth are worn to the very level of the gums. Eating must have been torture under such conditions, but there is no sign of disease. In this fact we obtain, no doubt, an important clue to the deterioration of the teeth. There are many others; but the mere character of food in relation to hardness has much influence. Few of us nowadays eat anything really hard. Many reject even crusts of bread, which would have been thought luxuriously soft by an ancient Briton. In this point of view the belief everywhere prevailing among savages that to chew sugarcane is good for the teeth, appears to be reasonable. In all countries where it prevails, the inhabitants eat soft food—at least, we think of no exception—kouki, cassava, rice, atta and dal, plantains, tortillas, are the regular diet. To mash a couple of feet of sugarcane, and to reduce it to bare fibre, is wholesome exercise.

"TAKING THE WATERS" IN THE SEVENTEENTH CENTURY.

IN reading of the horrors which our sick forefathers had to endure at the hands, not merely of the preanæsthetic surgeon, but the comparatively harmless physician, observes the *British Medical Journal*, one ceases to wonder at the favour with which the milder dispensation of homœopathy was received by a generation surfeited with orthodox physic. In our own day patients start off to Carlsbad, Aix-les-Bains, or Mont Dore with a light heart as to a haven of rest after the fatigues of the season. In the good old times this would have been as inappropriate as the *cœur leger* with which M. Emile Ollivier rushed into the great war of 1870. "Taking the waters" was then a serious and even a formidable business, to which making one's will would have been a not unfitting preliminary. Before the treatment was begun there was an initiatory ritual to be gone through, by which the system was cleansed of all peccant humours that might hinder the action of the healing waters. It is needless to say that this purification was effected by a remorseless application of the *seignare, ensuita purgare* formula, which must often have gone far towards curing the patient of "fever called 'living'" as well as of other ailments. If he survived this preparatory sweeping and garnishing of the house of life, there was still the terrible ordeal of the "waters" to be undergone; and if that failed to kill him, he might fairly congratulate himself on the possession of a constitution against which the worst assaults of medicine could not prevail. What extraordinary things were done in the name of medical science towards the end of the seventeenth century is shown by some letters written by Boileau, the friend of Racine, now fallen on evil days, was in his time as indisputable the *Roi-Soleil* of literature as Louis XIV. was in the political sphere. Boileau, who had almost lost his voice owing to catarrhal laryngitis, was ordered by Fagon, the Grand Monarque's almost greater physician, to try the waters of Bourbon l'Archambault. In a letter to Racine, dated July 21, 1687, Boileau thus recounts his experiences:—"I have been purged and bled a score of the formalities necessary before taking the waters has been omitted. The physic which I have taken to-day has done me, so they say, all the good in the world, as it has made me faint four or five times, and has reduced me to such a condition that I can scarcely stand. To-morrow I have to begin the "great work, that is to say, I commence taking the waters." How the "great work" was carried out is shown by the following extract from a subsequent letter:—"I take every morning twelve glasses of water—more difficult to return than even to swallow—which have, so to speak, cleared everything out of my body, except the disease for which I take them." At last the much-enduring poet returned to Paris as voiceless as he left it, and completely worn out by the treatment. In time he recovered his voice, and it is interesting to note that he had the tact to attribute his cure to an infusion of hedge-mustard prescribed for him by a great lady of the Court.

AN INTERESTING EIGHT HOURS' EXPERIMENT.

M. CORNEVOT is a Paris bootmaker whose workshops are situated on the Boulevard Saint-Marcel, in the district bordering on the Botanical Gardens. On the eve of the 1st of May this philanthropic and paternal master assembled all his men and told them that they were at liberty to strike if they liked to do so. The consequence of this was that on Friday not a man or a woman was absent from the shops, and the proud whim cost 200 francs was called out by the overseer in the morning. To signalize his satisfaction M. Cornevot gave them a holiday and a beanfeast at Robinson's Island in the Seine. He also announced to them that from Monday last they would only be called upon to work for eight hours every day as an experiment. Now for the results of this philanthropy. The men who were on salary paid weekly were overjoyed, whereas the piecework rs grumbled loudly, and presented a petition to their master, in which they begged of him not to decrease the hours of labour, and stated that they were ready to work eleven hours! M. Cornevot replied that they would be paid their usual earnings and that he would bear the loss. He estimates this at about £24 or £28 a week, but he intends to go on with the experiment for a month, and will continue it, should he be satisfied at the end of that period.

The Boulevard Saint-Marcel employer of labour believes that the shorter hours will produce better work, and he has already noticed that both his male and female hands apply themselves with more assiduity and care to their toil since the change has been tried. M. Cornevot's practical test of the "eight hours' system" will be described in detail to the members of his trade or syndicate of *fabricants de chaussures*.

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Mauritius mail closes at Colombo at 4 p.m. on the 6th.

A QUESTION which may possibly cause some friction between the local Government and the Chinese Customs authorities, has arisen in Hongkong. A junk, it is alleged, was forcibly seized in British waters by a Chinese cruiser. Her crew was imprisoned, and the cargo and vessel were sold by auction on behalf of the Imperial Customs.

IN CHESS played with "living pieces" there is nothing new but "A Game of Whist, with Living Cards, set to Music," with which the fashionable people of Philadelphia have lately been amusing themselves, is perhaps more novel. The entertainment took place in the galleries of the Art Club. It is thus described by an American paper:—All the fifty-two cards in the pack were impersonated by young ladies and gentlemen, the dark-suit cards, such as clubs and spades, being represented by young men, while some of the most attractive young ladies were the suit cards of hearts and diamonds. All the court cards were represented by ladies and gentlemen in costume as nearly like the picture on the cards as possible, some of the men making up grotesquely with wigs and false moustaches. The pack in suits entered, went through a shuffle to music, the cards were cut and dealt, and then a lady and gentleman, partners at opposite corners, played against another lady and another gentleman, also partners. The cards were led out to the centre of the open square by each player in turn, where the trick composed of four cards each time executed two graceful and merry movements, and then the trick was taken by the winning player by escorting the quartet to his or her group. There was not an awkward move throughout, and the interest of everyone was sustained from the beginning to the close of the game. The costumes were all most effective, especially those of the honour or "court" cards. The men representing the ordinary suit cards wore sashes of ribon across their dress coats from the shoulder to the side, covered over with the card represented. The ladies representing the similar cards from the two to the ten spots in hearts and diamonds wore white dresses, with a band of the card represented and a small pair of the same cards standing on one shoulder, as several tiny cards of the same denomination on their gauze fans. Some also wore similar fans of the cards in their hair.

THE POPE AT HOME.

THE most interesting article in the May number of the *Review of Reviews* is an account of Pope Leo XIII. at home, written by a journalist at Rome, "who is privileged to have constant access to the presence of the Holy Father." The following are a few extracts from the article which has been published simultaneously in England, America, and France.

WHAT THE POPE LOOKS LIKE.

Leo XIII. has just entered his eighty-first year. His thin and angula features, his alsbaster completion, the trembling of his hands, his bowed form, the almost diaphanous aspect of his entire figure, would mark him as a man on the threshold of extreme old age. But when he speaks and becomes animated this impression immediately vanishes, and one feels that there is beneath this fragile envelope a powerful life, and that the blade is infinitely superior to the sheath that covers it. His voice, especially when he speaks in public, has retained its ring, slightly nasal, by the way, and his eyes have lost none of their fire. Oh, the eyes of Leo XIII.! When one has once seen them they can never be forgotten. One would think they were two carbuncles or two black diamonds, so brilliant are they. They give an extraordinary vivacity to his expression, and there is something inexpressibly piercing in their regard. One of the most striking things, when one meets the Holy Father, for the first time, is the convulsive trembling of his hands. This is not a result of age, as is generally supposed, but the consequence of typhoid fever, from which he suffered at Peregia some twenty-five years ago. So great is this trembling that Leo XIII. can no longer write. When he has to sign a document he is obliged to hold the wrist of his right hand with his left hand in order to be able to trace letters that would otherwise be unreadable, and even then each stroke is an infinity of tiny, light zigzags.

EMPEROR AND POPE.

The following account of the visit of the German Emperor to the Pope reads almost like a modern version of the eleventh century story of King Henry of Germany's humiliation by the then head of the Church at Canossa:—Pius IX., with his jovial nature and perfect *bonhomie*, gave way in his language and manners to the familiarity and *sans gene* which is not unknown in the Roman character. Leo XIII. is very different. He has seldom been seen to laugh. This reserve, which is so natural in him, increases the dignity of the tiara. It gives him an intimidating aspect. The young German Emperor knows something about this. When he visited the Vatican in October, 1888, he was so disconcerted on entering the Pope's apartment that he first dropped the valuable *tabaciere* that he proposed to present to the Pope, and then he let fall his helmet that he held in his left hand. He could scarcely stammer out several incoherent words. An eye-witness assures me that he trembled like a leaf, and I know ambassadors of long standing who cannot even now conceal their emotion when they step into the private room of the Pope, so majestically does he carry the sovereign dignity with which he is invested.

AN OCTOGENARIAN'S "FAIR DAY'S WORK."

As a rule Leo XIII. gets up at six o'clock, and, often at a still earlier hour. At seven he celebrates mass in his private chapel, and listens to a second one—*dactio de graces*. At eight o'clock he partakes of a light repast, consisting of coffee and milk, and a few *biscotti*, of which his Holiness is particularly fond. He then sets to work, to examine documents, to study questions of policy, to draw up letters or *encycliques, &c.*, and at eleven o'clock he gives his attention to general business, and receives successively his secretary of state, the ambassadors the secretaries of various congregations who, like the ambassadors attached to the Holy See, have each their special day of reception. Leo XIII. insists on having a clear statement made to him of all matters that need his personal attention. No detail is too small for him to go into; he endeavours to master the business of everything. Once a week during the winter months between twelve and one o'clock the public audience take place. Fifty or sixty persons are grouped in a room and kneel when the Holy Father enters. He then passes before each of them, questions them separately, and gives his blessing. English and American Protestants are often in great number at these collective audiences. Leo XIII. makes no distinction between Christians of different confessions. With an exquisite tact he welcomes the Protestants with the same fatherly and affectionate kindness as if they recognized his authority in religion. I have seen them moved to tears by the kindness shown by the Holy Father.

THE POPE'S PLEASURES OF LIFE.

At eleven o'clock the Pope takes a light broth, which suffices till dinner time. This, according to old Roman custom, is at two o'clock in the afternoon. The repast is very simple; it consists invariably of boiled meat, a roast dish, seasonable vegetables, and fruit for dessert. Everything like luxury is banished from his table which cannot cost more than five francs a day. The doctors have ordered him to take Bordeaux wine, and the archbishop of that city never fails to address him barrels of the choicest brand. Traditional etiquette requires that at Rome the Pope shall eat alone, and it is only when he is outside the Eternal city that he can have guests around his table. Up till 1878 Leo XIII. went every summer to Castel Gandollo, and there he was always surrounded by distinguished guests.

If the weather is favourable Leo XIII. takes a walk in the Vatican gardens and park. In the summer he sometimes lunches in the little wooden summer-house that has been built at the bottom of the garden. He likes to talk to the gardeners, and follows their work with the closest attention. He interests himself also in the number of oranges that the garden produces, and the disposal that is made of them. By the way, this production amounts to ten thousand each season.

Every day, at about eight or nine o'clock in the evening, according to the season, the Pope recites the rosary with Mgr. Angeli, his private secretary, and one of the priests of the household. In all religious exercises Leo XIII. bears a serious, dignified, and imposing attitude. I have rarely seen mass celebrated with such profound and heart-felt piety: the priest is divined in the highest acceptation of the word in Leo XIII. He carries out to a scruple the laws of the Church. It is known that a Catholic priest should celebrate mass fasting, but this is a law of discipline which the Pope, owing to illness, has a right to dispensate from. In fact, only lately, Leo XIII. has accorded this dispensation to two cardinals, and has allowed them to celebrate mass after having partaken of liquid food; but if it occurs that in the morning an illness or an indisposition obliges him to take a cup of milk or broth, Leo XIII., notwithstanding the supreme powers of which he is the sovereign dispenser, abstains that day from celebrating mass. After the rosary, Leo XIII. partakes of a light breakfast composed of eggs, vegetables, and fruit, and then enters his private apartments; it is seldom he retires before eleven o'clock. His excessive nervousness occasions him frequent sleeplessnes; he then rises and walks about his room reading and meditating. At times an idea strikes him, and he rouses his secretary and dictates to him.

SOMETHING NEW.

FROM time to time one sees strange organists perambulating the streets of London. The wounded veteran and the armless cripple vie with the professional Italian, while the "gentleman" and the "viscount" may be also occasionally found in our midst. Just now a new competitor has arisen, an "inventor," who claims that he has discovered an efficient purge, not for our Parliament Houses, but for that equally debatable topic, the London roadway. Dressed in the very latest style—newest shape silk hat, well-fitting frock coat, and elaborate button-hole—the inventor is now "starring" the City, and he explains that his object in travelling as organ-grinder is to advertise his patents by means of "pamphlets and publicity," and secondly he seeks to obtain sufficient money to construct working models in order to perfect and develop his newly patented ideas. Beyond the "hydraulic waterer and cleanser," an improved system of road-paving is suggested, each street being literally in a casement, or shallow tray, and grooves arranged throughout each section would carry off all damp, which at present proved so disastrous to London horses.

THE YORICK OF THE FRENCH STAGE.

AN actor of extraordinary talents, spirits, and native wit, Alfred Joly, or Jolly, as he called himself, has just died. He was called the Yorick of the French stage. He was a Parisian, and when young was an architect's secretary, then an attorney's clerk, after which he apprenticed himself to a maker of artistic watch-cases. Not doing well, and being miserably poor, he joined a provincial company as an actor. He made his *début* at the principal theatre of Brussels in 1863, when he was twenty-five. He made great hits in "La Tasse de The" and "Le Chevreuil." He went to Paris in 1867 for the Universal Exhibition, and was very successful at the Bouffes Parisiens. Hostein drew him from that theatre to the Renaissance, where he made his reputation. After the Coquelins became shareholders in the Vaudeville tempting offers were made to him by the manager of that theatre, and when his engagement at the Renaissance had expired he accepted one there. His last illness was long and painful. It is astonishing that he was so little known beyond the Boulevards.

THE Bishop of Honduras by a recent shipwreck lost all his sermons, 500 in number.

LIFE at Sandringham is very simple. The Prince breakfasts with his sons and any male members of the Royal family who may be there. The Princess breakfasts in her private apartment, while the young Princesses break their fast in an old-fashioned room still known as the schoolroom. When this meal is over, they come down to say good-morning to their father, and are usually accompanied by a group of pet dogs. The gentlemen go out shooting or riding, while the ladies in the house amuse themselves with books and papers, and, later in the day, are joined by the Princess. Luncheon brings all together, and this informal meal is, when the season will permit, served in a tent put up in the woods near where the mighty hunters are. The Princess leads the procession in a smart yellow cart drawn by the plumpest of ponies, driving herself and one of her lady guests. She is, by the by, an extremely good whip. Luncheon over, the ladies return to Sandringham House, everybody meeting again at the 5 o'clock tea, and dinner being served in the dining-room at half-past 8 o'clock. The Prince and Princess dine with their guests, the Princess sitting at the centre of one side of the table, while the Prince is exactly opposite. When dessert is served, a piper plays the bagpipes in the corridor outside in veritable Highland style—that is, pacing backward and forward.

SOME NEW SPECIMENS OF METEORIC IRON.

THE meteorite, which fell at Collescipali on February 3rd, was shaped like a tortoise and weighed about 4½ kilogrammes. On touching the ground it appears to have exploded, embedding itself to the depth of half a metre. The surface was dark, and pitrified, covered with divergent striations, dotted over with shining particles, and pitted here and there. The interior was ash-coloured, with a granular structure, and it consisted chiefly of metallic and nickoliferous iron, magnetic iron ore, and black nodules of ferric chromite and of peforhotite. The meteorite which fell at Ochansk a short time ago has been examined by Von Siemaschko. It possesses a highly bucsiated structure, and consisted of 79·12 per cent. of iron, associated with nickel, cobalt, phosphorus and sulphur. A very magnetic sample of meteoric iron was recently found at Pipe Creek, near San Antonio, Texas. It has been examined by A. R. Ledoux, who finds that it consists of magnetic portion 30·89 per cent.; non-magnetic portion 69·11. The magnetic portion consisted of iron, 90·94 per cent.; nickel, 9 per cent. And the non-magnetic portion contained silica, sulphur, lime, magnesia, phosphorus, and ferric oxide. O. W. Huntington has been examining a specimen from North Dakota, which fell in 1885; it consists of 90·24 per cent. of iron together with nickel, and traces of phosphorus and copper. The iron is so malleable that it can be rolled out into the ribbon in the cold and it breaks like a soft semi-solid material. The meteorite weighed 4,015 grammes, and from its peculiar shape and appearance appears to be a thick scale blown off from the spherical surface of a large body.

THE LIFE OF SUBMARINE CABLES.

A HARD and fast law as to the life of a cable cannot be laid down, for the duration of the sheathing wires is governed by more than one element. The quality of the galvanizing, the presence or absence of such protection as compound tapes, or hemp, and the physical and chemical nature of the bottom, are considerations which must be taken into account. Submarine cables may have a life of more than ten years. They can be successfully repaired at even a considerably greater age. There are now in existence and in working order about 44,000 knots of cables, having a life of fifteen years and over; of this amount some 21,000 knots are twenty years (and over) of age

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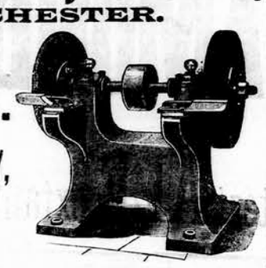

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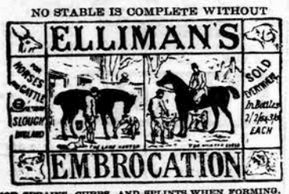

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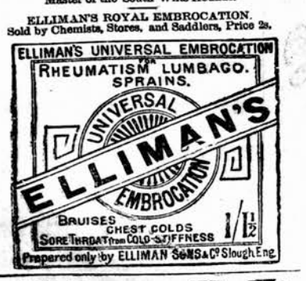

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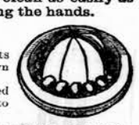

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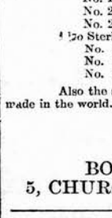

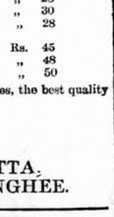

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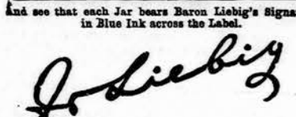

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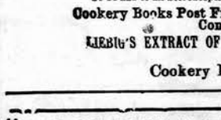

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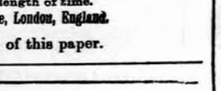

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